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ARRIVING THURSDAY.

Government

An official reception at the newly completed Statue Pier to befollowed by a Government House party is one the suggestions which are being considered in connection with the visit to Hongkong of H.R.H. Prince George who is due to arrive on Thursday by the P. & O. liner, the sist Malwa.

quarters Ship of the China Command main event the representation, of rear wheels on the ground. ment here would not have been in duced. accordance with etiquette, if indeed,

it had been possible. Clying to H.M.S. dlawkins being an e Shangigi Prince George Will arrive in Hongkong as a "distinguished grest on Thursday, Exclusiver may be his recognized a status on faturi- organious when he, the common with other sub-licuton- .. lants, will be given shore leave. As a "distinguished gnest" it is permis-

s.ble I'm him to be entertained Lin his capacity of Prince and the Hongkong Government has decided to arrange something in his honour during this short time that the is here, before he proceeds to Shangbar by the Milwa.

The suggestions indicated above. are being considered, but upon enquire this morning the . "China Made was informed that nothing definite had yet been desided:

Prince George left Singapore vesterday morning. 'Whilst there he was the guest of honour at a brilliand military pageaut arranged partly in his honour and with the prime motif of celebating the trooping of the colours in 1837 at the necession of Queen Victoria. The soldiers represented consisted of fall the aims garrisoned at Singapore since its foundation.

Over 250 men took part in this imposing ceremonial the prologue of which took the form of a torchlight tatton with massed hands.

STEAMER'S CARGO. AEROPLANES SEIZED HERE.

HAUL OF DRUGS.

On Saturday the Imports and Exports Department seized a quantity of drugs and aeroplanes from a British vessel lying alongside the Kowloon wharves.

No details are available at the moment as the authorities are reticent.

Rumours are current that the aeroplanes were intended for another Government, possibly, one of the Chinese factions up North. It is also stated that the flying machines were packed in a number of cases.

The nature of the drugs is also

unknown. Illicit drugs are, of course, contraband and the fact of the aeroplanes being shipped to a foreign power is said by the "China Mail's" informant to constitute an infringement.

DANCING DISPLAY. MME, DAILLY'S LOCAL

SUCCESS.

Pleasing indeed was Mme, Louiou Dailly's display of dancing at the Theatre Royal on Saturday night. Each item made a direct appeal to the imagination and was carried through with charm and grace. The costumes incidental to each, dance were in exquisite taste and aided much to the enwell-known "dying swan" was a leading telegraphist of the H.M.S. popular item; but for imaginative effort the death of the moth earned chief honours; whilst the peacock dance was another popular item, to say nothing of the Canteenon Saturday afternoon.

the assistance of a small

but

were much appreciated. Constantinople, May 24 -- Portyfour persons, passengers and Town for observation during the Turkish coaster Heraklie, with a luspector Andrew, at present Agreport has been made to the cargo of coal, foundered in a storm | doing duty in Kowloon. at the entrance to the Bosphorus The violent gale, considerably The Hongkong Icterport Cricket May Road that & sum of money damaged Angors where tele- team returned to the Colony and a watch amounting to a total

I interrupted Renter

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MONDAY, MAY 25, 1925.

Escape.

STARTLING STUBBS ROAD ACCIDENT.

What can only be described as a marvellous escape from death. When the first announcement and bugles and dancing By the was that of a P.W.D. lorry driver

races held at Singapore on Saturday. soon collected, but of course offer-

BREAK AT

FIGHTING

From reports received during the week-end it appears that hostilities have actually broken out between the non-Cantonese mercenaries and the Communistic Kuomintang adherents of Dr. Sun who wield the civil power in Canton,

rendered their 'ms to the Yun-

In other parts of the province

head of the Public Safety Bureau His name has always been assomains in Canton city where the in power.

Canton merchants, reports the

within a week or so at the most as the present impossible situation cannot last indefinitely. There is still another Yunnanese warlord come into the picture. This is General Fan Shek-sang, Canton's erstwhile strong man, who led an expedition into Kwangsi, to make for his native province where he was a series of the province where he wished to avenge the putting to death of his father by Tuchun Tang Chi-yao. Should General Fan take it into his head to return to the Kuomintang banner. and fight his fellow provincials. there is a chance of Dr. Sun's followers holding out. To become NEED NOT WORRY the soldier of the hour, he would have to fight his way through hostile territory. Meanwhile the question is-Can the Kuomintang hold out in Honam with dwindling revenue and, on paper, inferior forces, while their suberdinates are beyond the North and East Rivers and their ally is in Kwang-At the Kowloon Magistracy this si? From what has been seen so morning, a Chinese foreman was far, it seems as if the Communcharged with carrying out blasting ists will endeavour to fight for a operations near the Kowloon Docks stand, such stand to be maintainwithout taking the necessary pre- ed by intrigue rather than mili-

Happily, this time neither side evidence that he visited the scene has the sympathies of the civil at 11 o'clock yesterday morning population, who have had their and saw the charges being put in lesson and prefer peace without persecution.

CANTON BEGGARS' HOME.

WHY HONGKONG SHOULD HELP.

pany mustered all hands, with the failed to get away before a charge the Canton asylums for the blind and the infirm, in which many Hongkong mendicants often find their last refuge, is being put in hand in the Colony. On Saturday, a joint meeting

> in Hongkong. It was agreed that grand theatrical performances be given by the amateurs of the Chung Sing. Society and the Wing On Co. (old style operas) and the Lam Long Society (modern plays) to raise

> When an understanding is arrived at between the Colony and the seylums, it may be that Hong. kong's beggars may be turned over so that these evesores will no longer distigure Hongkong's highways.

M. Max. who moved the vote of the toy was ordered six strokes of the Ministry, has agreed to attempt to the Central Magistracy this more approved the crisis. He has approved.

LAST.

REPORTED

COMPLICATED SITUATION.

Party Under Consideration. FRONT WHEELS IN SPACE. Public Safety Bureau Chief Visits Hongkong.

According to reliable sources, there have been military movetwo brigade of Yunnanese have ments on both sides. Commanwas under of Sub, Lieutenant Scottish Company of the S.V.C. who hung suspended with his moved forward from the East der Chu Pui-tak who leads a band Prince George's appointment to The culmination of a most effective lorry above the Mahommedan River sector towards Swatow loyal to the Kuomintang Com-H.M.S. Hawkins the arrangement display was the entrance of modern Cemetery at Happy Valley yester- where they took over outposts in munists is said to be cut off from was that he should join the Head- troops in a grand finale and the day afternoon with only the two the territory of General Hsu Canton through other Yunnanese. Shung-chi, the Kuominitang com- making forced marches by night at Sugapore. As Prince George the capture of a pirate stronghold. A projection on which rested mander, who drove out Chan and occupying Shiukwan to prewould bherefore have arrived in by British boops 120 years ago, the stout rear mudguards appear- Kwing-ming. Several detach- vent his return by way of the Hongkong merely as bient. George" the uniforms and fire-formations of ed to be the only thing that pre- ments in the hinterland of North River and the Canton-Swatow are stated to have sur- Shiukwan Railway." General Wu Techen, who

(Police Commissioner) in Canton is reported to have come down to Hongkong during the week-end. ciated with the Communists but although all the Kuomintang offices have been removed to the south side of the river, he reallied mercenaries - the Yunnanese and the Kwangsi-ites-are

"China Mail" correspondent, have been discussing means to protect themselves should the worst come to pass. It is the concensus of opinion

that one side must make a move tary domination.

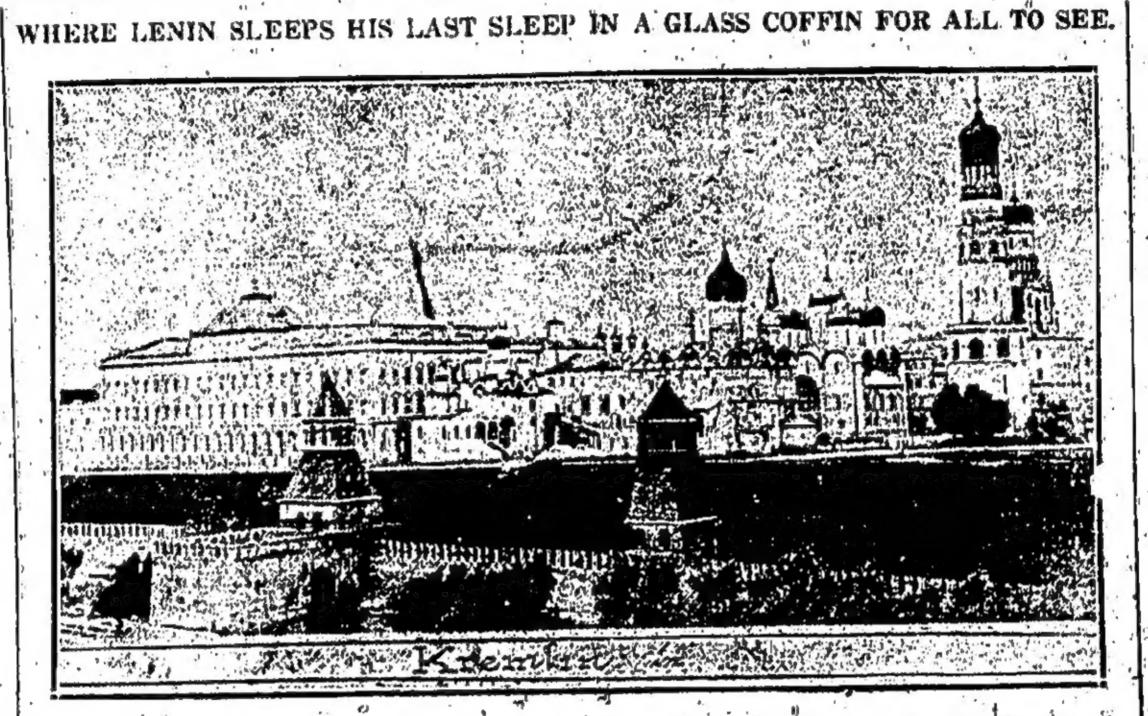
DRIVE FOR FUNDS.

A compaign to raise funds for

was held at the Chung Sing Benevolent Society when representatives of Chinese commerce were present in considerable numbers. Mr. Ip Lan-chuen, secretary of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce and acting as. representative for Mr. Li. Yautsun (the Chamber's chairman) Asiatic Bldg. Tel. C. 4702 was appointed chairman pro tem of a combined association to embrace all Chinese business organisations

thirteen-years old Chinese

an official reception by the Govern- that date being faithfully repro- vented the forry, from slipping headlong down the slope. Prince George also attended the Needless to say, a large crowd nans without overing resistance.



This is a recent picture of the Kremlin in Moscow where Vladimar Lenin, the founder of Bolshevism, rests in a glass coffin open to the public a uze, for all the world as if he had just dozed off to sleep. Thousands of pilgrims continue to flock to Moscow to gaze on his ghost-like features.

THIEF AND GIRL. EUROPEAN'S PROMPT

ALBANY ROAD CHASE.

ACTION.

At the Central Magistracy this morning, before Mr. R. A. D Forrest, a fourteen-year . Chinese youth was charged with

the larceny of a "gold wristlet watch from Sheila Leung, a schoolgirl living at No: 60 Caine Road. The little girl was walking at Albany Road on Saturday afternoon along with a companion of about her own age when the accused suddenly snatched the watch and ran down the road. The cries of the girl, who kept on the heels of the thief, attracted the attention of Mr. and Mrs. Plunkett ole who happened to be coming up the road in chaifs. The gentleman get out of the chal and caught the runaway after

and was recovered later. After the evidence of the complainant and the European gentleman and his wife, the accused was sentenced to four months' labour. The Magistrate ordered in addition six strokes of ! the birch

chase. The watch was thrown awa

by the thief before he was caught

TRAM CAR BLOW. NAVY MAN ASSAULTS CONDUCTOR.

Before Mr. S. B. B. McElderry; at the Central Magistracy this able and efficient manner morning, a charge of assaulting which they are noted, was evida tramway conductor was prejoyment of the audience. The ferred against George Mackerell,

Marazion. It was stated that the assalt took place as the accused was alighting from a tramcar near the Naval cupid dance. Mme. Dailly had Accused denied knowledge of what took place as be claimed to efficient orchestra; whilst the have been under the influence of violin contributions of M. Iljinsky liquor.

A fine of \$10 was imposed.

A dog was taken to Kenndy

ed no help. The driver got back to the road by crawling over his perilously situated machine.

Another P.W.D. lorry appeared on the scene and a steel hawser was sent for. With the aid of this, after a few hours' hard work, the damaged lorry was eventually pulled into safety, very much battered but fit enough to be towed after minor repairs had been effected.

A NEW PROPELLER.

SMART WORK BY KOWLOO. DOCK.

The Douglas Steamship Company's steamer Hai Ning arrived fell into the ground. from Swatow on Saturday, having curtailed the usual stay at Foochow. She was promptly her propeller replaced by a new Rural Land Investment Company result that nearly a record was exploded. The man received terri-

on a sort of trial trip. The fact of the ship being "dressed" for Empire Day seemed to add a sense of undue importance to the occasion, the flags fluttering gaily in the breeze and making the "trial" something out of the ordinary for the fitting of a new propeller.

That the work was done by the Kowloon Dock Company in the enced by the measured mile being covered in 161/2 knots.

The Hai-Ning steamed back to her accustomed place at the Douglas Steamship Company's wharf, and sails to morrow afternoon for Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.

WATCH STOLEN.

EUROPE N'S DRAWER RIFLED.

police by Mr. C. C. Hickling living at 3 Branksome Towers. I graphic communication has been yesterday by the President value of \$58 were stolen from a drawer ou Saturday night.

KOWLOON BLASTING . INCIDENT.

ROCK AT BOWLS.

CONTRACTOR - FINED.

cautions. Sub-Inspector Clark stated in

heavy weights placed over . An hour later witness was playing bowls at the Kowloon Dock when a large piece of rock

A fine of \$100 was imposed. TERRIBLE INJURIES.

During blasting operations yesdocked on arrival here to have terday at a site owned by the one. The Kowloon Dock Com- in Stubbs Road, a Chinese coolie put up. The old propeller was ble injuries to his head from taken out, the new one put in, and fragments of rock, and expired in a yesterday the Hai Ning was taken; short time.

OPIUM FIND.

At the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, an order was made for the confiscation of 650 taels of prepared opium, valued at nearly \$8,000. The opium was found on the s.s. Empress of Russia by the Captain of the vessel, who hands it over to the police.

Baghdad, May 23.-Recent intermittent skirmishing developed into actual fighting yesterday, when the Kurds under Sheikh Mahmud determinedly, attacked a Regiment of Irak Cavalry, between Sulaimani and Balebja : Aircraft co-operated with the Cavalry inflicting heavy lossess on the enemy, who drew off by nightfall. The Cavalry's losses are comparatively slight. Renter.

Brussels, May 23,-The Liberal, consure on the Van de Vyvere ed his intention of first examining free first in a transact by showing to conside Partitions a Ministry of the Liamway Company of the Liamway Company

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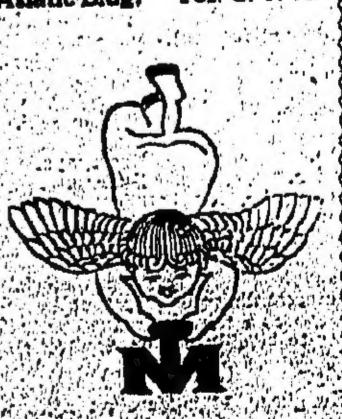
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The Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce fortnightly report on imports is as follows:-Cotton piece goods and fancy cotton goods .- A slight improvement in local market condition has transpired and sales of small lots. of Whites and Fancies have been effected. Clearances still remain relatively poor though Brocades are moving better than they were when we last reported. Mid. Am. 'Spot" was quoted 12 99d Liverpool ou 24th instant and Eg.

Sakellarides 29.35d. Cotton Yarn,-After a spell of inactivity, which lasted over two months, an insignificant business has been done at a heavy sacrifice rates. Quotations are:-No. 10s. \$190/208. No. 12s. \$195/218 No 168. \$2.0/230. No. 20s. \$220/225 Arrivals 900 bales. Ship nents nil. Sales 500 bales Unsold stock 14,100 bales Bargains 3,500 bales..

Woollens.-No change. Market

Raw Cottons. - There is no into a surplus of £1:300,000. change to report.

Flour Market Report .- Stock : 35,000 sacks, Market Firm, Quotations: American Patent \$3.75 per sack; American Cut off \$3.79 per sack; Shanghai Flour For the Hosonogo & Sussense | \$3.60 per sack | Australian No. \$3.70 per sack; Canadian Cut off

\$3.40 per sack. Sundries.-Market quiet. Sugar-Market doll. Market ery quiet.

Saltpetre. - Very" quiet marke with nothing particular to report.

WEEKLY SHARE REPORT.

states:-

during the past-week and most of customers for Free State comthe favourite stocks show a slight modities. FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General | decline, although money still | appears to be easy and there is a is to be dropped from 2d., 3fr. per good demand for all investment pound with a preference to a flat

Hongkong Banks continue in strong demand at rising prices, industry in Ireland. closing firm with buyers and sales BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE. at \$1,300 and no sellers under \$1,310.

Unions have been the medium of a fair business and were done as high as \$307, but at the close are slightly easier and have come to business at \$302.

with buyers at \$750.

quotations.

Hotels firmed up to a buying rate of \$15.10 during the week, at IN FRANCE! Comptoir National d'E-compte which a few shares changed hands, but at the close are rather easier, and have come to business at \$14.75.

Hongkong Lands have been a with 130,000,000 in 1923-24. steady market, and have come to business at \$93/4 cash and \$95 the cane sugar yield will not be

shares have changed hands. shares prevailing.

Wharves were firmer during production surpassing the high the week, and changed hands at | yield of 1923-24. \$195.50, but at the close were Reports are also good from

rather easier. Hongkong Docks have declined to a selling rate of \$116 and have

been done as low as \$114.50. Shanghai Docks are wanted at Tls. 132.50.

Hongkong Electrics firmed up during the week and were done at \$85 cash and \$90 July, but at the close were rather easier, with than 110 per cent, Germany 76 sellers at \$84 cash.

business at \$60/61...

shares have changed hands. China Lights firmed up to a Netherlands and United States week, but at the close are rather

easier with sellers at \$32.75. Dairy Farms are quiet at Steamboats have come to busi-

ness at \$38.75. Ferries have been a steady market with buyers at \$82 cash

without attracting sellers. Lane, Crawford's are quiet and a few shares have changed hands

Shells, £4 6s. Bd. all middle Formose, Java, and the Philippines.

Exchange: - Demand on Lon- which was 12 per cent below predon is 2/2-15/16, and T./T. on war in 1919-20, appears about 25 Shanghai is 78.5/8. per cent larger in 1924-25 than the Next Settlement Day, May 28. average for five pic-wat years,

INCOME.TAX.

IRELAND LOWERS CHARGE.

Dublin, April 23.-The considerable reductions in taxations. announced in the Irish Free State budget yesterday will have the effect of bringing the salary earners' income tax and the poor man's breakfast table requirements below the rates prevailing the boundary question was undoubtedly a powerful consideration in the argument for reduction. . Mr. Cotterell said further that

carry the latter, by a loan,... OBTAINING A SURPLUS.

are very slow in going into con- taxes would, therefore, be added, sumption, and dealers seem to be but the present Government unwriting to accept lower than dertook to bring in no fresh probeen submitted to the people in. a general election. Mr. Blyth estimated that these extra duties would bring in a total of £1,210,000 which, added to the £1,300,000 surplus he had devised, gave £2.500,000 available for remission of taxation

BELOW BRITISH LEVEL. The income tax was therefore reduced from 5s, in the pound to 4s., thus bringing it below the present British levely. The most striking part of the budget however was the announcement that the entire tea duty is to be remitted. And it is proposed to drop the imperial preference on sugar on the ground that Messrs. Moxon and Taylor's the countries which benefitted Weekly Share Report from it were British dominions from whom no corresponding advantage to the Free State was We have had a quiet market received, since they were not

In the next place the sugar duty rate of Id. per pound. Finally the Shanghai market continues Minister stated the Government had arranged with a Belgian company to grant subsidies for the encouragement of the beet sugar

SUGAR OUTPUT.

BEET AND CANE CROP.

Rome, April 23 - The International Institute of Agriculture says Canton Insurances are firm the sugar-beet crop of last year was decidedly larger than in 1923 in all Hongkong Fires are wanted at producing countries. This resulted from the general increase in area sown and from favourable

weather. Sugar content in more important regions was higher than 1923. The world yield will approach "175,000,000 centals (one cental equals 100 pounds), compared

"There is reason to believe that below the preceding season, and Humphreys are quiet, and few may be slightly above it. While the Indian forecast is for a decrease of 18,000,000 centals, result-Cements are rather easier, with ing from a decline in area and unfavourable weather, Cuba has a

> Brazil, Porto Rico, Java, Philippines, Mauritius and Australia. Other countries do not show much alteration. The aggregate production of cane-sugar will be about 320,000,000 centals.

In 1924-25 France produced 90 per cent of the pre-war beet sugar, Poland more than 75 per cent, Czecho-slovakia more per cent. Even Russia participat-Trams have been a firm market, ed in the recovery, and in 1924-25 and have come to business at attained 32 per cent of pre-war. Belgium and Italy did not decrease China Sugars have come to production so much as some other countries in 19:9-20, and this China Providents have been a season will show yields in excess quiet market, and few if any of pre-war, Belgium by 50 per cent

and Italy by about 100 per cent. buying rate of \$88. during the cultivation of beet experienced some development during the war, and compared with pre-war. Netherlands gained 2 per cent in 1919-20 and 34 per cent in 1924-25, while the United States reports 19 per cent more in 1919-20 and 78 per cent more this season.

- In sugar-beet countries as a whole, the yield in 1919-20, only 40 per cent of pre-war, in 1924-25 was more than 90 per cent of pre-war. Cane aggregate in 1919-20 of 131 at \$17.25.

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Vancouver, B.C. April 14conditions business General 🗈 throughout British Columbia are better than they have been for some time, according to C. J.A. Cotterell, assistant general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway lines for the province. So much "is this the case that this in Belfast and the influence of this one railway system has, within the past week, added 800 names to its

The task which Ernest Blyth, the although the demand for lumber Free State Minister for Finance has not been active for some addressed himself was not merely time, inquiries are now increasing that there was a deficit, but that in and an early improvement view of the fact that the estimates in the business is looked for the "forthcoming "year are for: Much improvement has been greater than the actual expenditure shown recently in the coal and for the past year the estimated coke industry in the Fernie deficit is even greater. The minis- district. With the influx of new ter adopted the suggestion first capital, he stated, mining, made to him two years ago to properties which have remained differentiate between recurrent dormant for years in the Nelson and non-recurrent expenditure and and Slocan districts are being bonded and developed: The new power plant of the West Kootenay By dispatching nonrecurrent ex. Power Company at Bonnington Bar Silver in Hongkong 10 % pm penditure in this way, he was able Falls has been almost completed to turn a deficit of about £1,000,000 and will supply sufficient power to Chinere Copper Cents ... 6 % pm. take care of the operations in He next announced that the connection with the additions to Metal's. -Market continues life- Government had decided, after the Trail smelter, which are also less, with dealers taking no in- careful consideration, to adopt nearing completion and will terest in new business. Stocks protection on a fuller basis. New provide for a substantial increase in the output of metals.

LOST COAL CONTRACT.

of Welsh coal, have decided to supplies of British coals this close their Cardiff office, having year. The step now taken severs already recalled their representa- a connection extending over a tive. This decision, it is under- period of 30 years.

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railways in Wales was for 80,000 The French State Railways, tons. On reliable authority which in the past have been it is stated the railways among the most regular importers | do not intend purchasing further

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EMPIRE DAY SERVICES.

Loyalty was the key-note of the address given at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, yesterday, by the Rev. R. J. Nirthcott, Chaplain to the Forces, also of many other sermons of special significance given at other churches in view of Sunday being Empire Day.

It is a mistake to think that !. because a man is loyal to his own country he is disloyal to the greater ideal of the brotherhood of nations said the Chaplain to the Forces.

. The opposite is, in fact, the case Until a man has learnt loyalty to the smaller things he is not able to apprecate the larger things Teach a man to love his own home. his own school, his own Regiment and you need not worry about own country. And teach a man out. to love his own country and you It is a matter of character. When more," you have got a loyal man you have got something you can depend on.

you want to know what the British the flag of which could be enjoyed the world's greatest Empire, con-Empire is built upon, I will give civil and religious freedom was tinue to be actively engaged in its it to you in one word, Loyalty. A the theme of the address of the preservation. Its decline or fall simple and natural loyalty Rev. Father Spada given yester- will begin only when the morals that, is driven into the very day at the Cathedral of the Im- of the citizens composing it will foundations of the British maculate Conception to children begin to decline. However, the character. A loyalty that starts at of many schools and a large num- efforts of those entrusted with your school and goes right on through | ber of adults also. ife" The men who made the British Empire did not set out with for law and Justice," said the Rev. is wanting. the deliberate intention of making it the greatest Empire in the world. British people never had the ambitions of a Napoleon, or a German E operor. They never had. they never will have, any parti-

cular wish to rule the world. The men who made the Empire great set out on "their quests, for the most part, like a lot of school-boys. driven by the love of ships, by the love of the sea, driven by the sheer love of adventure. But wherever they went, they went shoulder to shoulder. Whenever they fought, they fought back to back And to every one of them the keynote of their faith was this, that one man should never let another man down. That is how British men came to be trusted all over the world. Because men hegan to realise that Britons were true to each other, and as they were true to each other they were true also to their world. They might do many

trust Britain, to the last ship, to the last man. The speaker concluded by appealing to his hearers to recognise that the world kingdom of God was only a larger vision of that i which 'had inspired' our affection for our own bome and our own

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Beating The Big Drum it was easy for Britons either to beat the big drum too much or to grouse and belittle the efforts of our ancestors and ourselves, said the Rev. W. T. Featherstone in the course of an address at Cathedral. He would ask them for a time to switch their minds away from this Empire and consider certain facts about the Universe-God's Empire-3s, for example, revealed by modern astronomy and to consider how these modern revelations affected

our ideas of God and of religion. Giving figures showing that our Empire is the largest Empire on a dwarf earth revolving round dwarf star and quoting eminent scientists who held that hundreds of millions of years had been required for the evolution of our own world with possibly a billion as the unit of time in the life history and bring others to have a share in of a star, the speaker said that the that liberty-loving spirit of which first effect of this impression of they are the fortunate possessors. vastness must be one of unsettle. But all this cannot be hoped for ment and it was no wo der that

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courage us to use the spark of the sibility devolves on

LAW, ORDER, LIBERTY,

Father Spada. "These are the two As to religious liberty-nothing is to fit you for the duties of left to be desired. Our Holy future citizenship in the Empire. Mother the Church is allowed to These duties fall under three carry on her God-given Mission of heads-those towards the Creator, uplifting fallen humanity without | those towards the neighbour and let or hindrance: If we ourselves | those towards ourselves. We are feel quite safe in this beautiful bound to worship the one, true and little Colony, it is due solely to the living God by Faith, Hope, Charity fact that the E. opire flag floats and Religion. Man must not live proudly overour island home, and for himself alone. It is his duty, that small portion of territory to live for the welfare of all across the water

loyalty to the Crown and gratitude Tennyson are "self-reverence; to those at present responsible for self-knowledge and self-control." the maintenance of the grand While the citizens of the British traditions of that Empire on which Empire hold fast to these precepts the sun never sets. May loyalty they can look to the future of the to the flig be ever one of the out- Motherland and to that of nations say about them, that wherever the standing characteristics of our that have sprung from ther with the Schools located in this tiny outpost greatest hope and confidence. of the Empire. We have recently had striking proof of this warm feeling of loyalty and practical patriotism that pervades the whole Empire and welds its several parts into one. The Wembley Exhibition has revealed and will continue to reveal to ourselves and the whole world that though the British Empire is widely scat-Empire Day was one on which lered it is in heart and mind closely united. We read day by day of the enthusiastic receptions accorded HR.H. the Prince of Wales in the different parts of the Empire which he honours with his presence. Everywhere the Prince has had evidence of that pride of race, that unity of sentiment and purpose, that feeling of common loyalty and obligation, that eager. are, in the glories of a great Association. Empire with a past, and it may be, a greater future. It must not be forgotten, dear children, that the youth of to-day will be the spine of that hoped for greater future. I will be up to them to see to it not only that "Britons never shall be slaves" but that they uphold

conventional theologians fought if the civic and moral virtues are the new cosmology long and not inculcated in the morning of life. The sterling qualities of It by no means followed that the courage, discipline, patience, defoundations of faith were cut away termination, reverence for public from us in "the height, the depth, law and respect for national rights, the gloom the glory." Modern have gone to make the Empire astronomy had demonstrated the what it is to-day, these same one-ness of the Universe. While qualities and these alone can it was true that "one standiffereth | maintain it. The founder of the from another star in glory," the Empire Day movement stresses same chemical elements were yet this when he says "Lack of disto be found in the atmospheres of cipline in youth tends to selfgiant and dwarf stars slike indulgence in later years, creat-Matter was subject to the same ing idle, selfish, pleasure-seekers laws in the most distant part of among the rich," and 'tramps, the Universe as here on earth. loafers, corner-boys and hooligans In conclusion the speaker said - among the poorer classes. Let us On a day like this we do well to bear in mind, the Earl concludes, humble ourselves. In our Empire that no nation can be permanentwe have great responsibilities. ly strong which is founded on The size of God's domain should the quicksands of indiscipline." not trighten us and make us feel Thence it can easily be inhopeless. It' should rather en- ferred" what a "heavy respondivine spirit which is in each of us in the Empire who have to His greater glory. When we in their hands the moulding of take a big view of things troubles youthful character from the nursery and trials seem trivial, sorrows to the University lecture hall. sub away in a soothing rest in the You, dear children, are being whether he is going to love his. Lord Who is working His purposes | educated by men and women who devote their entire lives unsparing-Let us therefore ascribe any ly and ungrudgingly to the roble will not find him unsympathetic to honour we have, any might, any and difficult task of Education. a greater vision of loyalty. Because majesty, any dominion and power. To them therefore you owe loyalty is not a matter of terms to Him henceforth and for ever- a deep debt of gratitude which you should manifest by loyalty and willing obedience. They, That it behoved them all to for their part, will see something on which you can build renew on this day their deep sense to it that the forces, moral and To-day is Empire Day, and if of gratitude to an Empire under physical, which have gone to build

upbringing will be unavailing if "We all know the Empire stands | your co-operation, dear children, Therefore you should regard the strands of the cord that unite this rules laid down for the regulation. whole mighty family of nations, of your conduct in the class room, independently of race or colour, on the play ground on the sports. Law, order, and liberty are the field or elsewhere, not as so many three watchwords of every true restrictions on your liberty depriv-Briton, both in the Motherland or ing you of many privileges, but in Greater Britain over the seas, as an effective training necessary

others as well as of himself. It behoves us then, dear children. We have obligations in regard to renew on this Civil Festival of to ourselves, the principle of Empire Day our deep sense of which in the words of the poet

CHILDREN'S SERVICES.

The two biggest services for children held in connection with the local observance of Empire Day yesterday were those at St. John's Cathedral and the Roman Catholic Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, both of which were packed.

Two choirs, that of the Cathedral and St. Peter's, attended the service at St. John's Cathedral and there were present quite 500 children in all, many schools being represented and troops of Boy Scouts and Girl Guides. The address was given by the Rev. G. T. Waldegrave, Commissioner desire to claim a share, as we all of the Hongkong Boy Scouts

> The schools participating in the service at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception were as follows:-

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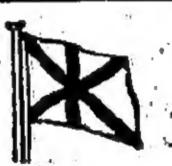
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TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

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LL claims against the estate of the above deceased must be sent to the undersigned forthwith. DEACONS,

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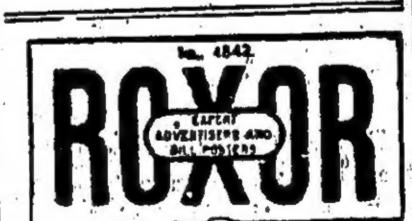
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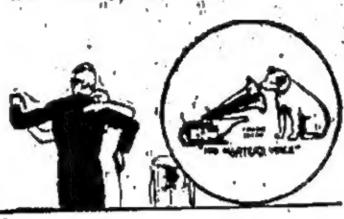
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LLOYDS, A1.

That H.M. the King should lay new premises, is not a little significant. The King commented on the traditional honour and integrity of the corporation whose history embodied the highest qualities of British commerce. What is this history to which the King referred? Out of the 400 years that insurance has existed in Britain, the first 100 years knew nothing of Lloyd's or of insurance companies. Policies were taken round the City by the merchants' or the shipowners' clerks, or by brokers appointed carried on insurance business in desirable; and more so at the to a close. addition to their ordinary avoca- present when Britain appears to effecting insurance lasted for a The distribution of doles conhundred years, but during the tinues, but it is receiving well latter part of the century the merited castigation at the hands necessity for speeding up the process became pressing, and, very deplore what seems a strange opportunely, coffee houses came, waste of money an endowment into vogue about that time. They of ease! The Labour Party's were used as meeting places for different classes of men: some were the chosen resort of noets, Board politicians, and actors, while to make advances to dominion or ALUNG JUB.
others were frequented by come colonial governments and local "What? I have got to sign for others were frequented by commercial men, and these latter convince in the Empire for pur lines I have had my dinner. I

Among these was Lloyd's Coffee House. This was first heard of struggle, of a bewildering nature in 1688. It was then in Tower torn to shreds. Whatever may be Street, and four years afterwards said of the Earl of Ypres' work, moved to Lombard Street. It was his brilliance in the South African specially patronized by shipping Campaign earns for his name the men; and a little sheet called Lloyd's News, first published in 1698, which only ran for six months, showed that it was for shipping men that the coffee house specially catered. Here it was that insurance as a business distinct and separate by itself had its cradle and nursery. Of the first proprietor of Lloyd's Coffee House very little is known. perhaps would be the first to amazed to find his name more often on the lips of commercial men than any other; and to be the founder of a great institution which has been so successfully l nurtured by those who have followed him. Lloyd's to-day consists of 1,096 underwriting members, 94 non-underwriting members. 393 subscribers, 82 associates, and 1,600 substitutes. agents all over the world, those, at the most important places 30,000,000 sterling, Hongkong, largely maritime in its voiced by the King.

Empire Needs. tion. This tedious method of be the largest sufferer in Europe from the unemployment curse. of hard-headed economists, devoid of sickly sentiment, who latest proposal has been one to grant \$10,000,000 to a National Employment and Development gradually came to be subdivided puse calculated to provide and take in it so child!"

written-if at all-his biographer will doubtless lay emphasis on the days of the last Boer War when a dashing Cavalry Officer helped to turn the tide of victory and to raise hope from despair. Those were gloomy days. General Buller it is said, would not take control unless he could have French with him, and as has been said the brilliant cavalry tactics of those days -continued when Lord Roberts vas Commander-in-Chief-played peculiar part in a peculiar and little understood method of warfare. Of the late Field-Marshal's participation in the great war, the title which was bestowed upon him probably speaks for itself. It is perhaps too early to It judge clearly and find true appraisement of all the men who participated in the conflict that, literally has turned the world upside down. "Since the Armistice here has been a stream of diaries, recollections, and impressions of with special classes of business. combatants, generals and ministers of state connected with the in which reputations have been grateful recollection of a great \$1,000,000 COMPANY. NEW HONGKONG FIRM

turned down because it affords no

real solution for unemployment,

and would add to the burdens of taxpayers. A slight relief might

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the English settler would soon

acclimatise himself. And a trans-

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populatel areas would mean fresh

life and opportunity. If a great

war necessitated conscription, a

great social disease should need

the same treatment.

Earl Ypres.

The opening of the Wing Cheong Hong China Product Company. Limited was celebrated at 2 p.m. on Saturday, at their office, Pedder Street, Pedder Building. The Company is registered as Limited Company, under the Hongkong Companies' Ordinance, with a Capital of \$1,000,000, and will carry on the business of exporters, importers, and navy contractors, being favoured with the Royal Warrant "By appointment to H. M. the King" which was most gracionaly bestowed at the British Empire Exhibition in 1924."

Speeches were made by the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Chinese representative on the Legislative Council. Mr. Li Yau-chuen, Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of the foundation stone of Lloyd's There are 1,400 agents and sub- Commerce, Mr. Ip Lan-chuen, Secretary of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Ho Sai-iu compradore of the Mercantile Bank being empowered to settle and of India Limited, and Mr. Wong many do. Still Robinson Crusoe pay claims. The premium in- Tong, representative of the Kwongcome for last year was upward of tung United Chambers of Commerce, all "of whom wished the of all sorts and conditions of people. Company every success and referred £18,000,000 was for marine and to the importance of the Company greater, because, as Dickens pointfor non-marine, being the possessors of the Royal

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is on short time, and how? And can any woman hold certain offices without becoming one? And how on this earth could she ever fulfil the ancient duties of an esquire? There is an old saying that Parliament can do anything—except make a woman into a man.

Daunty step OPINION WANTED, sounds withsugar producing regious to which to "putting your back into it." sugar producing regious to which to "putting your back into it."

THE SOCIAL FAILURE, a great colour ebbs from his face. His To parties I was asked a lot,

I'm not. My mantelpiece with cards was

But nowadays to my distress

In fact the thing was overdone, But what a different tale to-day— A "mere matter of coincidence Not one! perhaps, but it has to be noted It's not that I've become a dunce At bridge; I know it's not, be-

that the late Lord French took his title from a noted spot in France. But whenever his life comes to be I'm ten times better now than

lt's not, as far as I can see,

My politics; I don't obtrude My views at parties—that would

My personal appearance? No. I can't have changed so much as that.

Though I've a tendency to grow Too fat.) I've paid my bridge debts on the

Why is it invitations' fail To come?

-Yes, sometimes quite a tidy

can't be-yes, of course!might have known that all It's all because I cannot play

Mah Jong!

A reporter at "Willes-A LADY, den has rescued a real gem of cross-examina-"Do you call her a rude woman?" ."No. I call her a vulgar lady." That is all that comes to us of the case, but the fascination is in the differentiation in the reply. Who and what is a "lady" has any recognition.

lady? There-is-no-technical-andthere is no legal definition of a lady. It is perhaps a bit startling to find that there is no official to which his womenkind devote document in which the title of the hairpin. In the hands of a wife of a knight or a baronet is mending a sewing machine to officially "Dame" So-and-So. The picking a lock. Perhaps the wife of a peer is baroness, greatest triumph was that of the viscountess, or countess, as wife of a jouranlist whose typethe case may be. Who is a writer refused its office. With. lady? There is not even an perfect confidence he called in his equivalent of the utterly incorrect | wife; there was a dive for a hairlegal dictum that a gentleman is a pin, and the errant part was re-

Phrenology is at a came to an end before women ments in such places as Australia NECKOLOGY. discount, physiology were emancipated. Can any and Canada, where unemployed of is on short time, and woman become an esquire? If so, is on short time, and woman become an esquire? If so,

> swings open, enters. The tune he has been I used to be whistling dies on his lips, the eyes, wide as the woman's, are riveted on the same spectacle. Then, suddenly, a sharp voice breaks the deathly stillness.

"Don't stand there like a moonstruck calf; George; come here and: tell me what you think of my

Not long since, The THE RIFT. Times of London leading. editorial headed "On Paying Taxes." In it the official form, "Your obedient servant," was discussed, a fact which recalled to a correspondent of the paper a story which more than bears repetition. It appears, that a former Bishop of St. Asaph, Joshua Hughes, an old college friend, the Rev. James Jones, who was vicar of Llawr-y-Bettws, at one time kept up a pleasant correspondence of a quite intimate nature, the vicarbeing addressed as "My dear-Jones." At last, however, a remonstrance from the latter against an episcopal appointment, which the bishop regarded as an undue the happy liberty brought relationship to an end. The bishop, therefore, began his next letter to the vicar with the phrase, "My dear Sir," and closed it. "Your obedient servant, J. St. Asaph." The offended vicar thereupon replied in similar terms, and not to be outdone ended his epistle. "Your obedient servant, J. Llawr-y-Bettws."

It is pleasant to THE ALL-IN learn on the autho-APPLIANCE. rity of the Ameri-. can hairpin king that the bobbing of hair has made. no difference to his trade. One suspects that no fashion in hairdressing would ever exclude bent pins, for the mere male gazes in wonder at the multifarious uses The woman it will do anything from man who owns a gig. And gigs placed at least temporarily.

ORIGINAL CRUSOE.

When "Robinson Crusoe" was a new book, they said that every old woman bought it, and left it as legacy with the "Pilgrim's Prothe "Practice of Piety," "God's Revenge against Murthen, remarks a Home paper. Two hundred years after it is: still one of the books which everybody is supposed to know, and a great himself is one of the world's heroes, a man who touches the imagination The author's achievement is ed out, the book is without tenderness, and Crusce himself has There were also present Mr. particular charms: The magic subject which stirs the pulses After speeches were made by the everyone who was not born old.

moment of serious danger. In 1709. ships of another expedition of. Dampier's came to Juan Fernandez, and Selkirk was taken off by Captain Woodes" Rogers, made mate and sailing-muster, and prospered. In 1712 Captain Woodes Rogers and Captain Edward Cooke each published a book describing Selkirk's adventures. Selkirk was introduced to Steele, who made some good copy out of him for the Englishman." At this moment Defoe was up to the neck in political journalism of very unclean sort, but it is incredible that he did not read Steele's paper. In 1718: Captain Woodes Rogers's book went into a second edition. Early 1719 the first volume of "Robinson Crisce" was published.

It is perfectly true, as the modern foe of tradition argues, .. that Selkirk's adventifres were not as good as Crusoe's.. Selkirk had no wreck, no raft, no savages, no man Whatever may be said of the Chairman (Mr. Siu Shui-cheong) For two hundred years no one has Friday, not even a parrot, only the gout-skins. Defoe put "Robinson Crusos" much that he had : learnt from Hakluyt and markets. On the grounds of Shanghai Hotels Limited, and a facts of a true story, and that Purchas and a hundred historians different parts of the City, who sentiment only this is highly most pleasant opening was brought Alexander Selkirk was the model of the sea. He knew the chronicles for his Crusoe. Now un ingenious of the pirates, as his other bookswriter in Blackwood's Magazine inform was, through and through. proposes to show us that there is Such are the sources of the no good reason to suppose that episodes and the wonderful detail Daniel Defoe ever heard of of the great book. But, with the Alexander Selkirk." This is dis dates and the proven popularity of tressing to all lovers of tradition. the Selkirk story before us, we can Let us examine the facts, Alexander admit no doubt, of the accepted Selkirk served as sailing-master in tradition that it was the adventures the ship which Captain Stradling of the Scote sailing-master which communded on Dampier's pri- fired Defoes's brain to write. vateering expedition to the South Without Selkirk somebody in the Seas. In 1704 the ship put in at fulness of time might have given Juan Fernandez, and Selkirk, who are classic of an uninhabited island had quarrelled with his captain, and had lonely mariner wrecked asked to be left on the island. He thereon; for the theme has ever captain would not take him on board, the author should be Defoe and the again. Selkirk built himself two book Robinson Crusoe' was sure-bute, hunted goats, and tamed cate. Iv determined by the accident of When a Spatish ship came to the Bolkirk arriving just when Daniel

SPIRIT OF EMPIRE.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE. GREAT

KING AT WEMBLEY. Eighty Thousand People See Colourful Pageant.

. While Hongkong has been quietly celebrating Empire Day, there have been picturesque doings in London.

SOLEMN CEREMONY. (Reuter's Service.)

London, May 24. The Empire thanksgiving serwice at the Wembley Stadium this afternoon was a solemn and im-

present. uniform, was accompanied by the dressed by the Lord Mayor and drove off in spite of counter at-Queen, Prince Henry, the Duke the President of the Board of heavy.

and Duchess of York, Princess Education. The celebrations are heavy.

The Archbishop of York, in an address, described the true Imperial spirit, "honour all men love brotherhood, fear God, and honour the King.".

EARLIER-CABLES.

London, May 23. pressive ceremony in spite of the held yesterday in many parts of submission of the Altazan tribe chilly and showery weather. the country. The chief London has deeply impressed the rebels. Eighty thousand people were function was a gathering of a A French column, after relieving Kobe, but Tokyo and Yokoham The King, in field, marshal's Guildhall, where they were ad- ed a force of 5,000 Riffs whom it



Mary and Viscount Lascelles, the being continued over the week-Duke of Connaught, and Prince end, culminating on Sunday in a and Princess Arthur of Con- thanksgiving service at Wembley naught, Lord Cave (Lord Chan- Stadium, at which their Majesties cellor). Mr. L. M. S. Amery the King and Queen will be pre-Secretary for Colonies), Mr. | sent: W. W. Bridgeman (First Lord of Mr. Amery, in a speech at an the Admiralty) and Sir Philip Empire Day dinner, emphasised Cunliffe Lister (President of the the importance of the nations of Board of Trade).

A massed choir of 3,000 voices ! and the massed bands of the guards, marine and air force supplied the music.

mounted band of the Household admission to the partnership. Cavalry preceded the State trumpeters who were followed by mounted police, the Legion of Supreme Court has dismissed the Frontiersmen, the Earl of Meath, appeal of the Sinclair Oil Company Beefeaters and blinded ex-Service from the decision of the Moscow men. An ecclesiastical proces- High Court annulling its consion followed.

the world recognising the nations of the Empire as their equals, and also the importance of insisting on that recognition. He believed that the time would come when many nations outside the orbit of A procession headed by the the Empire would voluntarily seek

> Moscow, May 23.—The Soviet cession in Saghalien.-Reuter.

AERIAL DASH TO NORTH POLE.



Los Angeles, May 24. Mr. Haakon Hammer, who was associated with Captain Amundsen's previous flights and led the Amundsen relief expedition in 1928, has telegraphed to the Navy Department. in Washington asking for co-operation and the services of an expert Arctic flier if necessary to assist the explorer. Reuter's American Service: [Our shotograph shows Capt. Amundsen pointing out the route of his serial dash to the North Pole which began on Friday might.].

REIGN OF TERROR. ABDEL KRIM'S HEAVY HAND.

TRIBES UNEASY.

LOSSES COOL THEIR ARDOUR.

(Reuter's Service.)

PARIS, May 24. A message from Rabat states that the Riffs are continuing their concentrations, but their ardour is diminished owing to the losses

they have sustained. a reign of terror among the Empire Day celebrations were tribes showing slackness, but the

thousand school children at the Upper Wergha posts, hotly engage

from Spain. He refused to discuss Moroccan affairs and Franco-Spanish relations. He declared he was reserving his impressions for M. Painleve, the Premier. OFFICIALS LACONIC.

A communiqué issued after the meeting between M. Malvy and M. Painleve laconically says M. Malvy has formed important friendly relations with Spain and brings back very interesting information regarding Franco-Spanish relations which is being considered by the Cabinet on May 26.

> EARLIER CABLES. PARIS, May 23.

The newspapers continue preoccurred with the position in Morocco. Le Matin's Madrid correspondent says that the Malvy mission has resulted in an agreement, not providing for Franco- area confined to the province of to sericulture is economically most Spanish military collaboration, but Tajima, on the coast of the Japan important, but as at present unauthorising France to pursue the Sea. It is reported that two ascertainable. It is estimated rebels into the Spanish zone.

Franco-Spanish blockade by land out in many places. Severe There were many hundreds of and sea alone will bring the Riffs damage is reported from other casualties at Kinosaki, where an to their senses. "

On the other hard, Ocuvre Homme Libre hopes that there will. be no such collaboration, and opines that France is strong enough to act alone. Telegrams from Rabat state that new enemy movements Northwards are reported.

SOVIE. WAIL

FOREIGN POWERS' COOLNESS.

(Reuter's Service.)

MOSCOW, May 24. "Izvestia" states that several powers in pormal relations with Russia recently refused visas representatives of Soviet economic organisations, thus. in juring the development of economic

Many reponsible representatives of Soviet firms had been obliged to cease work and leave England owing to the refusal to prolongtheir visas.

France and Sweden were apparently adopting the same

BELGIAN POLITICS.

POSSIBLE DEADLOCK SOLUTION.

(Reuter's Service.)

BRUSSELS, May 24: and programme.

F Penang, May 23 - Do Pinedo has arrived.—Reuter.

Agency states that with the view to studying the problem of air communication between Russia six seroplanes, of which three have here, confirms that the disaster sympathy from friends abroad on June 10.—Reuter.

their crews were drowned.

ANOTHER DISASTER.

JAPANESE EARTHQUAKE

TOWNS ABLAZE.

Severity Equals Great Shock of Two Years Ago.

In many places as severe as the great shock of 1923, another terrible earthquake has occurred in Japan.

PANIC OF POPULACE.

(Reuter's Service.)

Osaka, May 23. A heavy earthquake was felt at Abdel Krim has introduced 11.10, lasting three minutes. People were terrified for a while. Such a big quake had not been experienced in Osaka for a decade. A severe shock was also felt were not affected.

Latest reports show that the pay even a penny.

the first shock, the town was set afire, followed by a great stampede. The whole town is ablaze, and it is feared there are hundreds of casualties.

Relief Being Sent,

The destroyer Enoki has been ordered to proceed to the coast with supplies; the Sagami likewise. The amount of insurance is not large; it is estimated at about one million Yen. The insurance companies here are not likely to



A scene in Tokyo after the 1923 disaster., ...

hundred houses collapsed in the that two hundred were killed and Le Journal says that a close town of Toyooka, where fire broke five hundred in Toyooka. towns in the same province.

casualties from the earthquake, stampede followed. but it is believed they are com- ... Seismological observations indiparatively few, because the pro- cate that the earthquake was vince of Tajima and neighbour- caused by landslide. " hood is not thickly populated. There are no crowded cities. The District is mountainous and the industry of importance is sericul- at Bendani recorded during last ture; where the finest silk is pro- night a violent shock lasting two

extensive five broke out. The Little is known as" regards whole town was ablaze and a great

Recorded at Bendani. Faenza, May 23. The seismological instruments



Havoc of the 1923 earthquake.

duced. Damage to reelers is un- hours, about 4,400 miles away.

Famous Hot Spring Devastated.

graphs are all interrupted between Kinosaki has burned out, reducing Osaka and the earthquake area. the whole town and resort to It is most difficult to obtain a com- desolate, ruins. Seismologists prehensive story, but scrappy declare that there is no fear of a news reaching here from railway further shock. Communications stations and post offices show that are quickly being restored. Relief the railways, tunnels, tracks and has been extended to thousands of stations have been seriously sufferers. damaged. In many places the The National Council of the severity appears equal to that of Refugees from Kinosaki hot Liberal Pariy, after a lengthy dis- the great earthquake of Septem- spring tell most pathetic stories of cussion passed a resolution admit- ber, 1923, especially around the the quake there. It appears to ting the possibility of settling the town of Toyooka, with a popula- have been more terrible than anypolitical crisis by the forming of an tion of ten thousand, where the where, they say. Almost all the emergency temporary extra-parlia- railway station half collapsed and hotels came down on the first mentary Cabinet which the Party the post office was set on fire. The shock and bathers rushed out should judge by its composition town appears to be in flames, also naked and a large number were Kinosaki, the famous alkaline hot soon enveloped in suffocating spring, which is reported to be smoke. At Kinosaki railway. totally devastated. Seismological station many travellers perished, observations tend to show that the including cause of the earthquake was a couples. The cargo-master of

from Osaka and other towns.

Osaka, May 24. An aeroplane, with reporters Kinosaki alone. Several of the crew, roped to the girls school has collapsed, and it 70,000,000. benches were sucked down and is feared many girls perished. drowned. The remainder were The number of dead in the whole deshed against the sucks and town is estimated at two hundred, Sunday School teacher, don't your periabed. Only one escaped, and the wounded at double that say your prayers every night be Muantime the two wassels founder; number. Troops were called out fore you go to bed? ed. Twelve out of sixteen forming from neighbouring regiments. Reforces from Kinosaki hor

spring say that immediately after

Desolate Ruins.

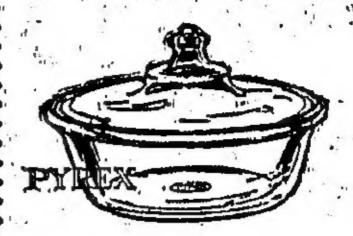
Osaka, May 24. Railways, telephones and tele- The fire at Toyooka and

Honeymoon Couples Killed. landslide. Relief is being rushed Kinosaki is begging newspapermen to create public opinion in favour of full payment of insur-Moscow, May 24. Rosta News Town and Village on Fire. ance claims which, he says, amount to ten million Yen in

and the Far East, a squadron of and photographers, just returned . Telegrams of enquiry and been constructed in Soviet work- was similar in intensity to that, are pouring into Osaka and Kobe. shops, leaves on a flight to Peking of September, 1923, only on a However, those cities are via Mongolia and the Gobi desert, smaller scale. The town of absolutely safe and undamaged in Toyooka, seen from above, was a life and property. The earthmass of flames and one or two quake area is not larger than Quimper, May 24.—Two life- other smaller towns and villages | twenty-five square miles containboats, which went to the assistance were also observed to be afire. ing a population of 78,000, where of two small vessels in a violent Thousands of refugees from in the total casualties are estistorm, were smashed by great Toyooka are crowding the open mated at 1,500 and the total waves, overturned and wrecked, spaces here and there. Toyooka damage to property at Yen.

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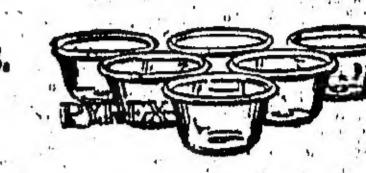


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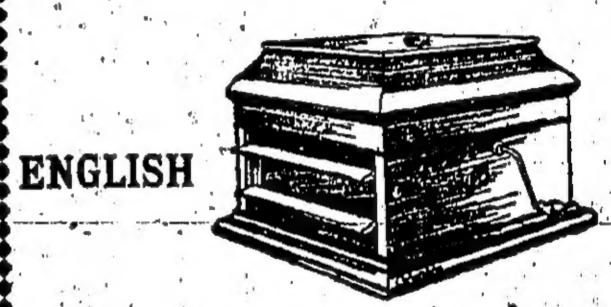
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INNINGS BY STEWART.

As cabled by Reuter, the Hongkong cricketers who won the interport at Shanghai, subsequently beat, a team captained by Mr. G. M. Billings, President of the Shanghai C.C., by 7 runs.

In the match Hongkong did not call upon E. B. Reed, Captair Walker and Captain R. H. P. West, calling upon H. E. Hollands and Captain C. D. Armstrong, the "spare" men and Captain C. J. F. Bensley, the Gunner adjutant who, went up to umpire. E. F. Stewart 'scored' 115 not out. Scores:-

HONGKONG. H. E. Hollands, c Peck, b. Capt. C. D. Armstrong, H. N. Balhatchet, b Billings . . Capt: E. W. Morris, e Brady, Capt. C. J. F. Bensley, c Brady, b Billings A. W. Rhmsay, e Tait, b. "

E. F. Stewart (not out)115 Rev. E. K. Quick, c Lanning. A. J. Stripp, e Baker, b. Billings Lt.-Com. G. E. L. Hargreaves A. C. J. Bowker, did not bat.

> Total (for 8 wkts. BOWLING ANALYSIS,

G. M. Billings. . 26.3 2 104 H. C. B. Peck . . 10 H. Baring 11 20 .. 52 W. G. R. Murphy, F. L. Wainwright, W. H. Taif. . . . 3 SHANGHAL A. E. Lanning, c Stripp, b

J. M. Pearson, & Stewart, b. Hargreaves F. L. Wainwright, e Balhaichet, b Bowker 30 G. A. Dunkley, st. Stripp, b H. W., Brady, c Ramsay, b Quick H: Baring, c Ramsay, by Bowker

A. E. Baker, b Quick W. H. Tait, b Bowker G. M. Billings, not out". H. C. B. Peck, c Bowker, b Balhatchet W. G. R. Murphy, run out ...

BOWLING ANALYSIS. G. E. L. Hargreaves, H. N. Balhatchet13.1 d - 53 Rev. E. K. Quick, A. C. I. Bowker 16 H. E. Hollands . 3

E. F. Stewart . . 3

As the result of the interport cricket match Hongkong is congratulated by the "North China Daily News" on "a splendid and memorable victory." Details of the closing scenes, with some comments on the match as a whole are reproduced from our day's date:-

When stumps were drawn on Monday evening the interport cricket match was in a critical condition. Shanghai wanted 17 runs for a win, and had only one wicket to fall, and accordingly there was tense excitement at 11.30 yesterday (Tuesday) when the struggle was resumed.

H. Rogerson defended the south wicket against the bowling Bowker, and was partnered by T. W. R. Wilson. He started scoring a single, and then Bowker got Wilson somewhere between the chest and pit of his stomach, and for quite a few minutes play was at a standstill until the latter recovered. Then Wilson scored and the total crept slowly upward through further singles.

between them when Bowker came to Hongkong as commiseration to Bowker 18.1 1 47 7 5 Balance of assets over on again at the south end. Wilson Shanghai. swiped at the first ball he received, it went sky high, and the bowler Fielding, Superlor.

which resulted in Hongkong gaining a noteworthy victory. Hongkong, in their first venture, underwent a partial collapse in the early stages; it seemed that the whole side would be dismissed for a total quite unworthy of Interport cricket; and then Ramsay and Bowker, in turn, went resolutely for the bowling and by their joint efforts were largely instrumental in bringing the aggregate of the innings to a respectable size. The supporters of Shanghai seemed to think that in facing a first innings. total of 145 the local players would not have too "difficult a task, despite the knowledge that in the Hongkong side were at least three first-class bowlers. However, as the early batsmen of Hongkong had failed, so also did those of Shanghai, and but for a foundation of 32 laid by "H.B.O.," a useful 21 by Burn, and a wonderful 62 not out by Shanghai's most popular cricketer, Dr. W. O'Hara, the local response must have been ignominiously small, We feel we are saying no more than the truth in stating that, bearing in mind the poor start that had been made, Shanghai's

"Nothing Easy." ... With a harder and faster wicket on Monday, every one expected Hongkong to make amends for the paucity of their first innings result by piling up a fairly big score; but again the opening batsmenfailed more or less, and four good wickets were down for less than 60 runs. Again did two, and two only, of their players make most. E. B. Reed, not out of the runs-Morris and 'Hargreaves, but even with these two making 81 between them the whole side was almost scuttled out for 127. This left Shanghai needing only 196 to win. The general O'Hara opinion (the quality of the Hongkong bowling notwithstanding) was "Easy," and so it seemed; but Allison11 later reflection gives one to the Morris conclusion that nothing is easy where Messes, Bowker, Reid & Co. are concerned.

both surprising and pleasing.

The five players who are considered to be our best bats managed to get 43 between them: Dr. O'Harn was sent back without scoring-in itself a grievous disappointment—and but for that evergreen, veteran H. W. Allison, with one of the younger generation of players in Rogerson, the ignominy aforementioned would have been ours. Eight wickets were down for 89 and then that incomparable passive obstructionist Barnes, whose association with O'Hara in the first innings will be remembered for years, went in to repeat his tactics; but - it was not to be and he was dismissed for a blob. Seventeen runs needed to win, and with only the fall of the wicket of Rogerson or of T. W. R. Wilson needed to bring about defeat!

> Exciting Finish. That was the situation on Monday night when stumps were drawn, and it was a situation as interesting and exciting as could

possibly be imagined. On Tuesday morning came the grand finale, and it did not take long. Rogerson was fairly certain A. W. Ramsay, b Divecha ... to keep his end up, and on the Lt.-Cdr. G. E. L. Hargieaves, ability of the mercurial Wilson to do likewise there was some uncer- A. C. I. Bowker, b O'Hara ... tainty. Regerson proceeded to A. J. Stripp, run out garner singles as he had been H. N. Balhatchet, b Rogerson expected to do, and, to the sur- Capt. R. F. Walker, not out . . contemporary of last Wednes- prise of many, Wilson commenced E. B. Reed, b Rogerson to do likewise. Then came that fast ball from Bowker which caught Wilson in the pit of the stomach (we are not absolutely certain of the anatomical signi-have shaken him considerably, but O'Hara 21 5 still he played well and soundly. Rogerson 9.5 4 17 Then followed the mighty swipe Divecha 8 which got a little too much under | Morris the ball (from the Shanghai view- Allison11 point, of course) and "Torry's" day's cricketing was done, and H. B. Ollerdessen, l.b.w., b done well. There was a slight whisper after the match that he A. J. W. Evans, b Reed 11 should not have hit as he did. But M. J. Divecha, b Bowker why not? It might have gone for Dr. H. H. Morris, b Reed six—and then, the applause! D. C. Burn, b Bowker 11 Wilson, at bat, is a live, throbbing, J. H. Raikes, run out 0 palpitating and aggressive person Dr. W. E. O'Hara, I.b.w., b calm, the stoicism, the stone-wall- H. Rogerson, not out 20 By Cash in Hand ism and the imperturbability of a H. W. Allison, b Reed Reed came on to bowl at the Barnes or the patience of a E. G. Barnes, c Stripp, b Reed pavilion end, and the field was Divecha. Let him be given every T. W. R. Wilson, c and b closed in to allow of no chances credit for having done his best; being taken. Wilson hit a single, he might have hit off the runs and then Rogerson raised applause required in a single over he has by getting a couple—a lucky one done it before; and that, on this occasion, he did not do so is as The batsmen had scored nine much a matter for congratulation

running out caught it. So Hong- . It is difficult toufind terms suffikong won by seven runs, and ciently appreciative of the general Bowker was chaired by his fellow standard of fielding in the match. On returning from a holiday in the field. On both sides, for to do so would London, a man was relating his on.

with the names of the batsmen who have been playing, are sufficiently indicative of the quality of the bowling. Every bowler who was tried (and we believe there were some good ones on the Hongkong side who were not) was good, but the palm must go to Bowker, Reed, O'Hara Rogerson and Allison."

Bravo, Hongkong! And, finally, let us congratulate memorable victory. Except tofight all along, and that they suc- 5.30 p.m. ceeded so wonderfully at the end is The business will comprise have won, of course, and for that balance sheet; '(c) election per our unstinted congratulations business. to them with a small meed of sympathy to our own men for the fact that although they have done concerned they show very their best, they have just failed.

were as follows:--Hongkong-1st Innings. Rev. E. K. Quick, c Barnes, b E. F. Stewart, c Wilson, b Rogerson Captain R. H. P. West, b

O'Hara first innings rejoinder of 167 was Captain E. W. Morris, c and b O'Hara W. Ramsay, b Allison 39 Lt.-Com. G. E. L. Hargreaves, c Morris, b O'Hara A. J. Stripp, c Morris, b

Wilson H. N. Balhatchet, c. Barnes, 5 A. C. I. Bowker, b Allison Captain R. F. Walker, c O'Hara, b Divecha Extras

BOWLING ANALYSIS. Wilson Rogerson Divecha 2 0 Shanghai—1st Innings. H. B. Ollerdessen, b Bowker M. J. Divecha, c Bowker, b Walker

A. J. W. Evans, b Reed Dr. H. H. Morris, b Walker J. H. Raikes, b Bowker D. C. Burn, c Balhatchet. Quick H. Rogerson, st. Stripp, Quick H. W. Allison; b Bowker Dr. W. E. O'Hara, not out ... T. W. R. Wilson, b Reed E. G. Barnes, l.b.w., by Walker

BOWLING ANALYSIS. Bowker16 1 Walker Hargreaves ... 1 Hongkong-2nd Innings. Rev. E. K. Quick, l.b.w., E. F. Stewart, c O'Hara, b Wilson 14

Capt. R. H. P. West, c and b O'Hara Capt. E. W. Morris, c Ollerdessen, b Allison b Rogerson 40

Extras BOWLING ANALYSIS. Shanghai-2nd Innings. Bowker

Bowker 4 Extras

FOOTBALL LEAGUE. FAVOURABLE BALANCE IN HAND.

With the curtain drawn down definitely on football for another season no time has been lost by the Hon. Secretary of the Hongkong Football League in compiling the annual report and balance sheet for presentation to the Hongkong on a splendid and annual general meeting to be held in the board room of Messrs. wards the very end of the match. Shewan, Tomes & Co., Ice House they have been fighting an uphill Street, on Thursday, May 28, at

a tribute to both their ability and minutes of general meeting held their tenacity. We should like to in 1924; (b) annual report and reason we hope the Hongkong officers for the ensuing year; (d players will pardon us if we tem- alteration to rules; and (e) other

The report states:-"As far as the accounts difference to last season, . The full scores of the match must be remembered that fewer the Navy being under the new ruling. This season also 13 arranged last season.

o filled their fixtures well, and the season closed up to date.

referces, and the thanks of the League are due to those gentlecharge of the games, on many occasions officiating in two games on one afternoon." The foregoing may at first Club.

those who have worked behind the the East Point Club by seven Craigengower C. C 4 scenes in Leagues elsewhere. Yet, points. there is a wealth of information At home the Indians gained a Kowloon Dock R. C. 4 2 in it. It is a masterpiece in a runaway victory over the Yacht Kowkoon B. G. C. ... 4 1 1 of the League are to be "heartily At the 13th head the former was congratulated. It has been a leading by 23-1. For the last Police R. C. 4 4 0 0 8 Empress of Russia on the viewpoint of the interests of scored, the winners scoring 13 and the game, and that is indeed the losers three. something to be grateful, for in

these days of keen competition, We have been associated actively with Leagues in which the season was one long succession of Craigengower v. Kowloon Bowling disputes either over the rules or over the referees. Only recently an upset was caused in one of the Indian Leagues which resulted in all the European teams Fritz. withdrawing. The Hongkong Rodrigues. League has escaped all these trials | Rose. and tribulations during the season Basa. just ended, which is ample testimony-that the conduct of the Neves: game is vested in the right hands. | Souza.

From the statement of accounts Green. it will be seen that the finances Bradbury. have practically balanced in spite of only one gate been allotted the Muskett. League against the three previous Rosselet. season. As a result of careful Dennis. finance there is a cash balance of McFarlane. over \$40, which brings the balance in bank on April 30 to \$1,321.03—an excellent showing, on which those responsible deserve the thanks of the whole of the Clubs forming the League.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Bank Interest \$ 14.81

Balance in Hand May 1,

League entrance fees ...

Fines Gate Receipts Dinner Receipts Sale of Stationery Interport Account Football Association Account Total "\$2,376.58 Advertisements\$ Ticket Collectors Hire of Chairs 88.90 Incidentals Secretary's Postage and petty expenses Printing Ground and team expenses 52,20 Referees' Fees Messrs. Fattorini for medals ets. 593.80 Balance in Bank 30. 4. 25 1,821.03 Cash in Hand 41.45 Oswick.

Total\$2,876.58 Allan. Assets. 80.4.25 \$ 41.46 Balance in Bank 80.4.25 1,821.08 Outstanding Dinner Account 23.40 Liabilities,

Unpresented cheques . \$ 207.50 McKechnie. Reed 15 1 87 4 liabilities 1,178.88 T. Young. Mitchell.

Downers as the team left the field.

Some Stray Commission

The glorious uncertainty of curse, but on the whole the fielding was equal to in the Far Bast than in the Far Bast than in the Interport match for many years. And also with the Biongking which was concluded.

Harrison, afternoon, the full team of fielding in the match, London's man was relating his or to do so would need a paragraph of superlatives.

The glorious uncertainty of Cricket has seldom better been carried in the Far Bast than in the Far Bast than in the Interport match for many years. And also with the Biongking which was concluded.

Household the first provided in the Far Bast than in the John provided in the Far Bast than in the John provided in the Far Bast than in the John provided in the Far Bast than in the John provided in the Far Bast than in the John provided in the John provided

LAWN BOWLS. SATURDAY'S LEAGUE MATCHES.

C.C.C. WIN AGAIN.

There was again a full pro- Madar. gramme of League games played Kharas, on Saturday. In the First Divi- Harteam. sion Craigengower continued their | Omar. sequence of wins by defeating Kowloon Bowling Green Club by Espina.

The Taikoo Recreation Club Hyder. were the guests of the Kowloon Ismail. C.C., and returned winners by six points in a match attended by fluctuating scores. Bad luck attended the K.C.C. in the second game, which gave the visitors a

The Civil Service C.C. visited | East Point R.C. Police R.C. rink started by being 6 down, but Fowler. teams entered, the non-entry of soon took the lead, drew level, and League only had one gate allotted 7 up for the third head, and at the Glen. to them, as against three fourteenth they led 15-6; but, Forbes. failing to add to their score, the lead of 3. In the last game, the McKellar. "There was again a shortage of home side (Lapsley, skip) were Hamilton. 15 up on the fifth head; the visitors (Deakin, skip) improved men who so willingly undertook gradually by reducing the difference to 8.

sight seem a colourless report to The Police managed to defeat.

Played at Happy Valley. Kowloon B.G. Craigengower. Smith. Nish. Duncan. Farrell. Thurston. Simpson. Whibley. Muir:

McIntosh. Holland. Guy. (S.) 24 " Total ... 69 Total... 52

Kowloon C.C. v. Taikoo.

T.R.C. J. C. Fletcher. J. Sloan. T. Peterson. J. A. Howe. G. Morrison. J. Gibson. A. G. Pile. R. Wallace. (S.) 20 C. Whiteley. J. Laing. P. W. Ramsay. W. Seath. 245.80 A. O. Brawn. W. Weir: J. Ferguson. 140.00 J. P. Robinson. H. Dinnin. L. E. Lammert, T. Grimshaw. R. E. Nicholls. J. Russell. W. Wotherspoon J. Hyde.

> Total... 55 Total... 61 Civil Service v. Kowloon Dock.

C.S.C.C. K.D.R.C. Smith. McKelvie, 23.30 Stanley. Henderson. Knight. Puncheon. (S.) 21. Massey. G. Puncheon. . R.C. P. Knight. Cullen. Gregory. Hamilton. Grimmitt. Johnstone. Gourlay. Alderman, Docherty. Keith.

> Lapsley. (S.) 30

Taikoo R.C. v. Kowloon C.C. Talkoo. Kowloon C.C. Stewart. Goodwin . Benson. -Jack Goldenburg. Robson. Stewart.

Harrison,

Indian R.C. v. R.H.K. Yacht Club.

R.H.K.Y.C. I.R.C. Williamson. Vaux. Ismail. Andrew. Shellshear, D. Rumjahn. Dixon. McI. Messer. Jamie.

Carpenter. Petley. Paton. Adams.

Total ... East Point R.C. v. Police R.C.

A. Clarke.

LEAGUE TABLES.

DIVISION II.

R.H.K.Y.C. 3 0 0 3 0

SHOTS FOR AND AGAINST.

DIVISION I.

East Point R. C. ... 3

(S.) 20

Total... 61

P. W. D L. P.

the Kowloon Dock R.C., the result Barclay. Blackman. being a win for the home side by Thorburn. Logan. but it 9 points. For the C.S.C.C. Mill's Williamson. Grant, West. finished 2 up. In the second game Whitton. Post. the visitors (Grimmitt, skip) were Webster. Whant. "The teams on the whole ful- home side (Johnstone, skip) drew G. M. Shaw. Sword. level later and finished with a Douglas. Glendinning. Reid:

> Taikoo second string proved too strong for the Kowloon Cricket

FIRST DIVISION.

Green Club.

Craigengower C. C. 288 189 99 Taikoo R. C. 268 203 65 Kowloon Dock R. C. 240 221 19 Kowloon B. G. C ... 211 256 0 45 Kowloon C.C..... 201 266 0 65

Civil Service C. C. 204 277 .0 73 DIVISION II. Police R. C 279 197 82 0 Kowloon C. C. 243 223 20 0 Taikoo R. C..... 182 174 8 0 Indian R. C. 190 153 37 0 East Point R. C. ... 155. 188 0 33 R. H. K. Y. C. 132 226 0 04 CIVIL SERVICE C.C.

The new bowling green at the Civil Service Club is to be formally opened this afternoon. At

the close of the ceremony rinks. will be formed for a spoons competition.

WATSON CUP.

A meeting of the Lawn Bowls Association will be held in the Chamber of Commerce Room at 5.30 p.m. on Friday. Each Club is asked to send two usual international preliminary to delegates. Amongst the business Monday's Amateur Championship to be discussed will be the alloca- was played. England beat Scotand tion to a competition of a beautiful by eight matches to five, two games Cup kindly donated by Messrs, being halved. A. S. Watson as exclusively reported in our last issue.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

The following is the League programme for this Saturday:-First Division. Taikoo v. Craigengower.

Civil Service v. Kowloon B.G. Kowloon C.C. v. Kowloon Dock.

Second Division. R.H.K. Yacht Club v. Taikoo

Indian R.C. v. East Point R.C. Police R.C. v. Kowloon C.C. Games will be played on the ground of the first named and the time of starting is 3.80 p.m. in all

RIFLE INTERPORT. HONGKONG'S SATISFAC

TORY TRIAL SHOOT POSTPONED.

Fixed tentatively for yesterday, Hongkong's shoot in the interport rifle competition was postponed N. L. H. Railton... 27 83 30 90 till to-day. Hongkong has up to D. B. Bone 30 32 28 90 28 84 28 90 May 31 in which to fire off. At the trial shoot on Saturday afternoon, the full team

SPORTS CABLES.

FAR EAST SPORTS. PHILIPPINES WIN THE

CHAMPIONSHIP. (Router's Service.)

.- Manila, May 28. The Fur Eastern finals were as

Track and field .- Philippines 1; Japan 2; China 8. " Basketball.—Philippines 1; China 2; Japan 3.

Baseball.—Philippines 1: "Japan 2; China 9. Volleyball .- Philippines 1; China 2 . Japan 8.

Swimming.-Japan 1; Philippines 2; China 8. Tennis .- Jupan 1; Philippines : China 8.

Football.—China 1; Philippines 2: Japan 3. Truck and Field Points .- Philippines 1464; Japan 604; China 144.

Decathalon,-Taduran (Philippines) 5.038; Fernandez (Philippines) 4,059. Talam (Philippines) 4,747; Ohin

(China) 4.657; Lu (China) 4.608. Tennis .- Ohta (Japan) defaulted. to Gavia (Philippines) "The Chinese volley-ball team left" the field for a few minutes, this

afternoon, following an alleged unfair decision by a Filipino referee in the third and deciding game in favour of the Philippines. Dr. Sung, who is in charge, however, persuaded them to return and finish under protest. The volleybull scores are: Philippines beat China-21-18, 15-21, 21-17.

The Philippines beat Japan at

Taikoo R. C. 4 .3 0 1 6 Instructions from the Japanese Government cancel the plan to send way, on which Mr. Hollands and Club. The feature of this game Kow oon C. C. 4 1, 0 3 2 the striking Japanese athletes home are all scheduled to sail in the season of complete success from eight heads sixteen points were Kowloon C. C. 4 3 0 1 6 The Philippines chinched the gen-Taikoo R. C. 3 2 0 I 4 eral Championship by winning the Indian R. C. 3 I O 2 2 basketball last night.

(By Courtesy of Daily Bulletin.)

Tokyo, May 22. This morning's papers editorially comment uppn - the Olympiad troubles at Manila, expressing sympathy with the atheletes, but maintaining that real sportsmanship demands insisting upon justice and fairness.

The papers hope for a satisfactory solution, which will not spoil the Olympiad and the athletes' honour.

LAWN TENNIS.

MISS "KITTY" MCKANE BEATEN.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 24. In the Surbiton grass courts championship final, Mies Ryan beat Miss K. McKane 7-9, 6-1 6-3.

HOME GOLF.

ENGLAND DEFEATS

SCOTLAND. .(Reuter's. Service.)

London, May 23. At Westward-Ho to-day, the

EPSOM DERBY.

OOJAH'S NOMINATION VOID.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 23 Owing to the death of Sir Edward Hulton, Oajah's nomination in the Derby becomes void. Oojah ran , third in the 2,000

Derby scratchings are Ayaz at 9 a.m. to-day and Aske at 11.80.

F.A. TOUR.

SECOND "SOCCER" TEST.

(Reuter's Service.)

Melbourne, May 28. Before a crowd of 15,000, and in showery weather, the English 'soccer' tourists beat Australia in the second test by five goals to nil.

D. Reid 31 38 T. Grimshaw

LOCAL PIRATE MENACE—A SEAFARER'S TRENCHANT VIEWS.

Sir,-Since my return to port will send out one of his lieuten- were a pack of arrant fools. I have been shown your issues of ants to take charge of a large! the 14th and 15th of the current district, who in turn will send a of "obligation" could they be the public. month wherein you give the text subordinate to so-call administ made to take as regards secrecy? of the Home Government's ter a smaller district; this last Secrecy is impossible to a Chinese "Inter-Departmental Report" on will in turn send a lesser-sub- employee, his forte being eavesour ever-present Piracy Menace ordinate of his to look after a dropping and spreading far and and an article entitled "That city and so on down the scale till wide what he has heard or learn-Piracy Report."

representative along with a country except the bandits and G.O.M.'s relatives for a solatium Captain and a Commander, R.N., pirates of whom he gets afraid, had given the show away. neithers of whom, so far as my Each knowing how No. 1 became | I have digressed a little, so memory serves me, were ever wealthy, sees no reason why he will return to my wireless. Wirewith H.M.'s Fleet out this way- should not imitate his now erst- less messages sent out or received

momentous report-which treats haps hand-in-glove with bandits operator would be in his glory. paragraph 31 where we find:-

In the first instance, thereinsurance voluntarily."

Committee to get out of a bother- flags, engaged in towing junks up stalled. This may come sooner House to the foot of the new road Mr. Key, and both gentlesome situation - in fact, such and down as may be required, for than we "expect. Disbanded or or vice" versa (some ladies even men, were taken with all seems to be their one idea the benefit of what our S.C. term deserting soldiers are known to had their Clubs with them) all care and speed to the Kwong Wah throughout the whole of their Chinese authorities. Then there have taken machine guns-and limp and perspiring even so early Hospital in Kowloon, where their deliberations. To me it appears are some small gunboats engaged larger - with them to pirates as 9.30 in the morning was a sight as a veiled insinuation to the in opium running from Wuchow lairs. extremists of if not the whole downwards. Not one of the My reason for writing thusly After all, it is not entirely the acquiesce with them-the S.C.

to "wirdess," starting at para, their own is only able to-on their ment employment it was quite a Aberdeen and it would be better the S.C. sympathetic-very in- four armed launches to protect its formed that a private wire was should be devoted to the new road. deed-because they are 12.000 immense property and valuable awaiting me at home"-20 miles I believe I am right when I say miles by water from the "Danger lives? No, the S.C. just recom- away. My informant, perhaps a that a number of the buses on Zone, having no watch to keep mends those few naval mosquitoes worker or an office attendant, Saturday and Sunday were only with the encumbrance of a big- topco-operate with small gangs of would tell me the contents of the partly full. shooter with 25 rounds of ammunition, but after their brainracking deliberations, bed, or a night club. The remaining paragraphs are a dissentation on the in nearly all he says, especially his he left my place. Needless to say different types of wireless words: machines for the supposed benefit of the whole Mercantile Marine, while the last (29) gives owners and employees a gentle remainder to shelve the distasteful sub-

Further back again "comes "Discipline" beginning with para. 19, while the end of para, 20 gives (wo quotations from the statement of the Naval Intelligence Affair at the Court of Inquiry on the "Tailee" piracy, the first of which says:—

"Unless pay conditions and compensation are made attractive, good officers cannot be expected to stay in River

Then in para, 21 comes a quotaion from a letter from the Governor wherein he goes on to say, after commenting on the "liner" companies — "but to Chinese-owned vessels which carry British officers merely in order to comply with conditions requisite to obtain registration in Hongkong":--a sad confession indeed. Para. 22, a sort of summing up of the above: our S.C. on top. "considers" and gets out of the dilemma, after furious thoughtsimply another or rather the first from them to Hongkong's Gov- our national insurance." with Singapore's Government which governs officers' wages, no speak. recommendation to the powers- Funny now, when I come that-be regarding officers' status, think of it, the local N. L. hav accommodation or, again, pay, to never thought fit to come to th uphold, better or increase as the owners' and Guilds' assistance. case may be, nor nothing but that | Regarding "wireless" I maingentle, gentle hint-to the Guilds. Lain that unless European opera

paras. 17 and 18 the less said on automatic system when perfected that head the better. I for one is installed whereby ships' do not think a good Indian comes officers after a few lessons can to the "Furthest East." looking be taught its management-it for a job. Court cases in Shang will be useless. hai, here, and elsewhere shows that? On board ship, when there | trained as easily as any other are no pirates to kill they "keep national, yet it must be rememtheir hand in" by killing one bered that on board ship, where another. Some, on the other hand, discipline is strictly necessary. are big babies, continually com- the Chinese is a dead failureplaining of one having been the more so the higher his social struck by another, yet taking status. Witness the "Hwa Jah" congratulated on his stand for duction according to the demand. them all-in-all they make not bad cadet fiasco. They joined, so the rights of the public in regard. The silk section of the London salt or other contraband smug- they said, to learn how to be to possible increases in the rates Chamber of Commerce denies that glers; are not adverse to taking a Captains—no such common term charged by the new Telephone bribe to let smuggled stuff pass as Master-for them there was Company, but he is not strength recent, conferences of silk interwhile on watch at the gangway in no intermediate rank. ening his case, surely, when he ests with Mr. Churchill. port—that is, of course, if they I have been on a ship under the quotes the position of Companies. are not asleep. I think the best Chinese flag carrying two native such as the lower and higher guards are those in vessels under operators. At all times resplen- Tramway Companies. They were the Portuguese flag—ex-Portu- dent in uniform—the one thing certainly not guaranteed a mini- washington, May 23.—In addi- trial took place in March in the their mark and Fukuda was unin- Traders Insurance Co. and China quese soldiers or Russians (now all Chinase law as a decider of the law and guese soldiers or Russians (now all Chinese love so dearly, They mum dividend but on the other tion to steps to collect war debts court of the Chief Magistrate of jured Later The attempted Bolsheviks.) The pay of guards strutted about the decks—when hand maximum rates were laid from European countries the Bombay Presidency. Nine men assassination is believed to be a Building, at noon, 12:15 p.m. and were laid from European countries the Bombay Presidency. Nine men assassination is believed to be a Building, at noon, 12:15 p.m. and were laid from European countries the Bombay Presidency. Nine men assassination is believed to be a Building, at noon, 12:15 p.m. and were laid from European countries.

Outside of discipline what sort

at any rate since piracy became while master and so on up the are supposed to be known to only pastime of many of the scale. While so doing each be- the operator and Captain, on Canton Delta's unwilling-to-work comes the other's enemy in the board ship, and the latter can population. Not having a "Who's race for power and wealth. make them public if he thinks fit Who" handy, I cannot know who Knowing nothing of such proceed- -except passengers' private corthe others are, but it is sufficient ings our 12,000-mile distant S.C. respondence, of course-not the to say there was not a Joynson- recommend co-operation with the operator, . Well knowing the Flicks amongst the whole bunch, so-called Chinese authorities- Chinese weakness for illicit trad-To begin at the end-of this Chinese authorities working per- ing and contraband-running our "insurance" -let us take or taking "shut-eye" cumshaws Commission for the private wires from them. " "

fore, we consider that the with their tributaries, there are shippers' cargo and trading Guild's should make every one hundred-more or less arm- secrets a flashed to interested endeavour to induce the Com- ed and unarmed steam-launches, parties on commission and, lastly, for a time, for soon it will be too extremely severe injuries. panies to institute a system of commandeered from merchants- for a great big cumshaw-per- hot to play golf there except in A nice easy way for a Select -flying all kinds of military they shall have got wireless in- of people toiling from the Club into body-the Guilds to go on strike whole lot pay Customs dues, is that I know not only the Chin- golfers who would be conveniso as to force the owners to Can'the S.C. tell us how one pro- ese wireless operator on board enced. There are quite a number Going further back one comes run so many armed vessels while shore. When in Chinese Govern- glad of an occasional bus via 23 and following, where we find advice-spare four gunboats and common thing for me to be in- thus than that the whole service

> So much for the S.C. and now it were. On asking how he knew for your shipping-man holding a he would say that Mr., So & So, high position. I agree with him the operator, had told him before

protect the ships and their officers from such attacks and if they fail the onus of respon-Government."

Quite so: should a gunboat, in assisting a merchant vessel in repelling a piratical attack, get any member of its crew killed, then the dependant of that member would get a pension from the Home Government, therefore, also should the same happen to member of a Hongkong-owned merchant vessel governed by the Piracy Regulations of the Hongkong Government then that Government has the onus on it.

It must not be forgotten, however, that in framing their- Regulations the Government foresaw their responsibility and slyly inserted a proviso which runs:-" "Provided the Piracy Re-

gulations have been observed.' Therein lies their avenue of escape and in a Court of Inquiry their counsel, instructed by the Attorney-General, would come out

'Talking about insurance, reminds me that in Parliament whenever an addition or two hint to the Guilds to go on strike. "billed" the "billers" have but No recommendation whatever one slogan which is "The Navy is ernment, such has to fall in line | "Navy League" also have it emblazoned on their banner, so to

Coming to "Indian Guards" at tors are engaged or the semi-

Granted that Chinese can be

signal had been received a few many dollars. This does not minutes previously. To explain seem right but it is in accordto them the correct way to pass ance with the terms of their on the signal the instant of its agreement and it is surely not reception only made them grin, such an agreement that Mr. (To the Editor of the Chine Mail). of one of the many factions in they thinking, no doubt, that Alabaster would advocate in op-

we get to a hamlet. Each sub- ed. Years ago when China's I may at once remark that the ordinate at once entrenches him- G.O.M., Li Hung-chang, conformer would, I am sure, tickle a self within his sphere, with his cluded in Port Arthur a secret tape-worm sufficiently to make it following of soldiers and begins | treaty with the Russians, the text laugh. Further, I notice it-the recruiting more under false pre- of that "secret" was published in report; not the worm-is signed tences-most likely-squeezes the an Shanghai journal (foreign) by the Colony's own extra-special inhabitants of the surrounding within a week. One of the

> for the trading-creys-all native On the Pearl and West Rivers crews are traders - merchant

message quite unconcernedly, as I knew everybody else's business "it is the duty of the Navy to | -secret or otherwise-through the same source.

So much for Insurance and Wireless and now comes the resibility surely rests on the presentative of the local Piracy Committee who avers that:-

"The report "might have served as the basis of very before opportunity was given to other questions. discuss the problem."

all, but simply that the Piracy delays and additional burdens." Regulations were to be read out! The Manchester Chamber of what is now known to all those Lancashire's arguments against as the "Minority Report." very sensible report it is, devoid that no method could be devised

and strictly business-like. the "Articles," saying that it also I again meet Mr. Churchill. "could have been discussed." So

Yours, etc., VOYAGER. Hongkong, May 22.

Telephone Rates.

(To the Editor of the China Mail).

is poor so what sort of man can not asleep—like jackdaws in pea- down which of course (human Government is paying attention to were accused of conspiring to retaliation for the killing of the 12.20 p.m. respectively.

be expected for it?

From paras 4 to 17 I consider the air, untouchables divine in standard rates right away, with and interest on reconstruction to kidnen her on January 12 that General Fukuda was in comparation of the Hopgkong and the light away, with and interest on reconstruction to kidnen her on January 12 that General Fukuda was in comparation are meeting of the Hopgkong and the light away, with and interest on reconstruction to kidnen her on January 12 that General Fukuda was in comparating the light away.

Canton: he, when his time comes, navigators—unlike themselves— position to one which on the whole seems most fair and advantageous from the point of view of

> the Company will fail to make 8 Hongkong Chamber of Commerce, per cent. for its shareholders (if and Mr. P. Brown of Messrs. it does not, it is not too much to Loxley and Co., who are in hosexpect a slight increase to guar- pital as a result of a motor cycle antee it) and if they are able to collision on Saturday. Mr. Key. make such huge profits as the however, is not quite strong Companies are which Mr. Alabas- enough yet to receive visitors. ter instanced, then they will not The scene of the collision was be able, as these companies do, to the awkward turn at Chin pocket the lot but have to devote Wan, Castle Peak Roud, a considerable portion of it to Mr. Key approaching reducing the subscription rates. from Kowloon side and Of the two schemes there is surely | Brown from the opposite direc-

Yours, etc., FAIRPLAY TO NEGOTIATORS. Hongkong, May 23.

the community.

Pity The Golfers.

(To the Editor of the China Mail).

Sir.—Now that the Hotels Com- ping headlong down the bank.

vince of a hankrupt country can ship but his "wire" confrere on of people en route who would be

to move the stoniest heart to pity.

Yours sincerely, GOLFER.

Hongkong, May 24.

COTTON AND SILK.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 23.

Various meetings of cotton infruitful discussion, if the repre- terests were held in Manchester sentatives of the shipowners yesterday dealing with the modiand officers had not withdrawn fication of the silk duties and

'A meeting representing the 'As-The "representative" is evid-sociations of Affiliated Cotton ently one of the "official Spinners and the Manufacturing majority." How he can make out Association passed a resolution what he calls "the basis of very strongly protesting against even fruitful discussion" I fail to see, modifications, and expressing the when the "non-official opinion that in view of the sacriminority arrived at the confer- fices of revenue resulting thereence-room they found—if, my from that there was less justificamemory serves me aright—that tion from a financial viewpoint in there was to be no discussion at | "imposing restrictions, difficulties,

to them, after which they could Commerce Shipping and Mergive their assent or get out chants' Committee, after con-They got out and later formulated | sidering Mr. Churchill's reply to interested in the Piracy problem the duties and the rebate, in a A statement say they are convinced of any semblance of "red tape" resulting in anything but serious and most damaging obstruction Further on the "representation trade. The Committee

would have been necessary, as all Committee unanimously passed a and an increase in their cost. shipping men know that although resolution that the Federation it is inserted in the six months' should immediately cable . the It is estimated that these will articles the present Harbour- Secretary of Agriculture at produce in 1926 the four thoumaster does not acknowledge it Washington cancelling the notice sand million francs required to as binding in ships in the Danger given to withdraw, from the balance the Budget. Supplemen-Zone-except for one sin. It original cotton standards agree- tary measures include stricter drove in semi-State to the City must be remembered that it is an ment and authorising the signing supervision of income tax. insertion and binding only by of an amended supplemental . The newspapers say that the mutual consent—so far as I know. agreement for the cotton trade. inland letter rate may be increas-The Provisional Emergency Com- ed to thirty centimes from June 1. Leadenhall Street. mittee discussed the adverse con- An increase of the telegraphic ditions affecting trade, and urged rate is described as under con- the romantic history of Lloyds stronger measures should be sideration. Apparently there is and the traditional honour and dances at the Peak Club, 9.15 adopted, including the formula- no question of increasing the integrity of the corporation, p.m. tion of a scheme of control. It postal and telegraphic charges for whose history, was embodied in was recommended that compul- abroad. sory powers should be sought for the collection of statistics of production, consumption and also Sir,-Mr. Alabaster is to be stocks in view of regulating pro-

it concurs in the decisions of the

NASTY SMASH.

MOTOR CYCLISTS IN HOSPITAL.

MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

"Very comfortable" was the medical report on the condition of After all, it is not likely that Mr. M. F. Key, Secretary of the

no doubt as to which most benefits tion. The two machines struck each other, not quite head on, but so sharply in a glancing manner as to throw both riders from their seats.

> Mr. Key was flung violently to the road, and found himself hanging half over the precipice at the side. Luckily he was able to grasp the white railing with one hand and so prevent himself slip-

pany have nine buses at their From this perilous position Mr. disposal, surely it is not too much | Key was rescued by some passing to expect them to spare one to motorists, who fortunately arrivmaintain some sort of service ed shortly after the accident and between the City and Deep Water | did their utmost to ease the Bay. It would only have to be agony he was suffering from his

Mr. Brown, who had also been and sometimes from British firms haps—to the pirates hirs when the early morning, but the sight very badly hurt, was lifted car along with injuries were dressed.

From the Kwong Wah Hospital they were taken across the harbour to the Government Civil Hospital. Here it was found that Mr. Key, among other injuries, was suffering from a broken ankle, broken wrist and a badly crushed knee: He was also very weak from the loss of

Mr. Brown, whose injuries were also very severe was found to be suffering from almost identical injuries, except in degree. His broken ankle and wounded knee were not considered to be so bad as Mr. Key's. Mr. Brown's broken wrist, however,

was the more serious of the two. What makes the accident more distressing is that both gentlemen have received their injuries to the right wrist, and it is of course still too soon to say whether there will be any permanent effects, though Mr. Key is not thought to be in any serious danger in this

Mr. Key, who was the weaker of the two, having lost more blood, went under an operation, and stood it very well. The doctors expected him to make a good recovery.

Mr. Brown went also under an operation and he too, is making good progress with every prospect of soon regaining his the Prince of Wales at Burgersstrength. Neither gentleman is in any danger.

FRENCH FINANCES.

(Reuter's Service.)

Paris, May 22. As regards M. Caillaux's new financial schemes, the newspapers state that the further revenues required will be obtained by an increase of postal and telegraphic the province, even the wayside charges on increase of tobacco re- stations, where the train stopped tive" talks of the 24 hour clause in authorised their representative to venue, the establishment of an for only one or two minutes. apprenticeship atax, and an in-A meeting of the Federation of crease of all schedule taxes on a far as I know, no discussion on it | Master Cotton Spinners' General unified system of game permits which will replace the sugar tax.

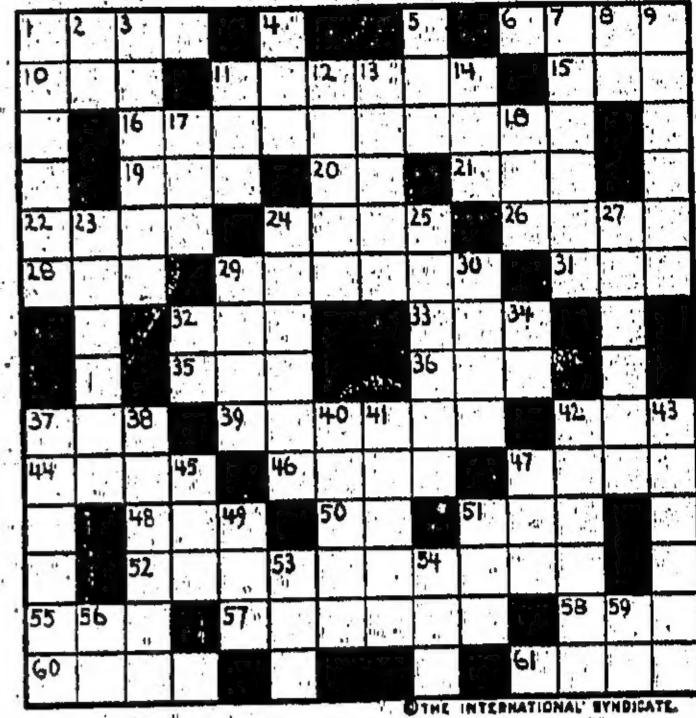
Sham Rao Dighe, an officer in the ment being inaugurated to-day. Maharajah of Indore's household. were sentenced to death in conne c tion with the murder of the mer

From paras. 4 to 17 I consider the air, "untouchables" divine in standard rates right away, with and interest on reconstruction to kidney her on January 12, that General Fukuda was in compared their own opinion.

the result that the public is still loss made after the Armistice murdering the merchant Bawla doring the carthquake period. A Building, 11 am attempting to murder Lieutenaut, diving the carthquake period. A Building, 11 am attempting to murder Lieutenaut, diving the carthquake period. A Building, 11 am attempting to murder Lieutenaut, diving the market made last. June 10. Forty fourth medical like it—they went along to the land the Companies are making there will be no discrimination in Saggert and Mr. Matthews and similar attempt was made last June 10. Forty fourth meets Talking about co-operating bridge and shouted up to the such huge prouts that shares the discharge of debis of this grievously injuring Mountag

CHENA MAIL'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

(These cross-word puzzles have been made by experts but our readers are warned to watch out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clus to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either

horizontally or vertically or both. VERTICAL HORIZONTAL 1-Pungent root 1-Convulsed breath 2-Part of verb "to be" 8-That is here present 3-Flavored 10-Hobgoblin 4-A thes 11-Unwell 5-Individual 15-Affirmative 7-African animal (pl.) 15-Lack of caution 8-That is (abbr.) 19—Domestic animal 9-Most sacure 20-Pronoun 11-Likely 21-Container. 12-Swellings 22-Perpetual 24-Spawn of oystor 13-Perfect 14-Wild animal 26-Tubers 17-Deface 28-Bolshovist 18-To call out 29-To piace wrongly 23-Excusable 31-Immoveble 24-One who utters melodicitis 32-To forbid 33-Insect 25-Placed for future consideration 35-Unit of work 27-Servant 36-To drop back 29-Market 37—Existed 80-Period of time 39...Bank employee 82-To exist 42—Permissive 34-Latin phrase meaning "fer 44-Lofty mountain range of (abbr.) 37-To roll in mire Europe 88-Excessive strain 46-Highway 40-Parasitic insect 47-Narrative 41-8light fault 48-To regret 42-Married woman 50-Above 43-A color 51-Speck .. 45-Total 47-Likewise 52-Envoy 49-Decilne 65-A fetish or charm 51-College degree (abbr.) 57-A race or strain (pl.) 53-Part of circle 58-Ejeculation 54-Edgad tool 55-Barlum (chem, sym.) BO-A rod 59-Pronoun 61-Once more

(The solution of the above cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's "China Mail" along with a new

cross-word puzzle.)

PRINCE OF WALES.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 24.

Reuter's correspondent with dorp says the happiest proofs of the effect of the Prince of Wales' visit on British and Dutch relations was provided by a crowd of sixty thousand, mostly the staunchest Nationalists, cheering the Prince to the echo on arrival here, the last place in Cape Province to be visited. Local clergyman invoked the Divine blessing

on Angle-Dutch unity. The Prince, in a speech, seized the occasion to return thanks for the cordial welcome to all parts of

LLOYDS NEW HOME.

(Reuter's Service.)

London; May 23. H.M. the King, accompanied by the Queen and Prince Henry. and laid the foundation stone of O!" Lloyds new building, which will cover an acre of ground

The King, in a speech, dwelt on the highest qualities of British May 27 and 28 .- Visit of commerce. He recalled Lloyds Japanese Tennis players, H.K. inestimable services in wartime, C.C. Ground, 4.15 p.m., each day. Bombay, May 23.—Shafi Ahmed, and hoped for still greater things of the Indore Mounted Police and from the expansion and develop- Race Meeting of the Hongkong

chant Bawla. Anan Drao Phanse Osaka, May 24 - A report has and three others were sentenced been received from Fukuoka that to transportation for life, and Syed an unknown assassin fired from Mahomed, sub-inspector of the the street at General Fukuda who Indore police, and Karamat Khan was dining with friends last night shareholders of Union Incurance were acquitted.- Reuter. The at an inn here. The bullets missed

September and the session; on ing of the Indo-China Navigation that occasion is now under trial - Co., Ltd., at Mesara, Jarding Reutel Offices, 11 n.m.



SHADOWS BEFORE.

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May 28.—James McGrath, Ltd., presents "Our Cabaret," at the Theatre Royal.

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GENERAL. LOCAL

There were no returns of notiended Friday.

"Bell Boy No. 13" is the title of the excellent picture now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

International Magna Charta Day Association will hold their annual celebration on Runnymere Field on June 15.

Affiliated Hospitals will be held to wear the council badges. on Wednesday next in the Chamber of Commerce Board Room at

During the month of January Yat-sen's remains at Nanking and 233 free grant homesteads were also a memorial hall. The design taken up in Western Canada, an in- of the latter should preferably crease of 18 over the same month in classical Chinese style with dishast year. During the same month tinctive and monumental features, 17 soldier grant entries were filed, with a murble tomb for the surco-Of the homesteads, 38 were taken phagus. Intending competitors up in Manitoba, 127 in Saskatche-should write to the China Inter-page, 73 in Alberta and 5 in British national Corporation, P.O. Box Columbia. The homesteads and 1440, Shanghai. soldier grants combined represent approximately 44,800 acres.

69th Regiment Armery.

Two broadcasting towers are fiable diseases for the 24 hours now under construction in Ger- boat-race or hearing a concert in many that will exceed in height all others in the country. Both will a London school voted almost unwill be used as observatories as well. One, to be located in a suburb of Berlin, will be 1,049 feet high, topping the Eiffel tower at

Of 13,182 Fondon vehicle drivers, most of them, chauffeurs, who entered a "safety first" com-Human bones found on an petition instituted by the London allotment at Chiswick are said to City Council, 8,309 went through be centuries o'd, and are to be last year without an accident and destroyed by the coroner's orders. have been awarded special mention and hadges. All the drivers thus The annual general meeting recognized, and especially the taxithe. Alice Memorial and cab drivers, count it a distinction

"Architects and artists are in: vited to enter the competition for the design of the tomb of Dr. Sun

It has been observed that eats: are the favourite pets in Moscow, population. Practically all of the exhibiting | while dogs are preferred in space in the Second Radio World's Leningrad. There is a convincing World's Fair of last September in some of the nonpolitical commis- lifts, cellar-flaps, etc. change has not gone into effect. to carelessness,

Given the choice of seeing the Central Hall, Westminster, boys of

The words "Safety Last" were painted on the side-car of a motoreyelo ridden by Alfred Eyans, of Kingswood-rond, Beckenham: for driving a motor-cycle , at a dangerous speed in the ten-mile control at London-road, Mitcham: Police-Constable Allard said Evans's speed was 28 miles an hour, and he passed several vehicles on the off side. When stopped he said. "I know the trap, but I did not see the plain clothes man, and that is not sporty. Safety last is my motto."

Sweden's population as shown by a report of the royal bureau of statistics is slightly more than 6,000,000, and the entire Swedish nationality, wherever domiciled is estimated at close to 9,000,000. It is shown that 780,000 nutive born Swedes live outside the country of which 625,000 are in the United States : 30,000 in Canada: 50,000 in Norway and 36,000 in Denmark. The foreign born inhabitants of Sweden number 57,832, or less than 1 per cent, of the total

Till was important to realise Fair to been New York in the economic explanation for this that during the past few years 258th Field Artillery Armory, divergence of fastes. Moscow is so accidents by factory machinery September 14 to 19, is now under overcrowded that housing space is only accounted for one in three of reservation and even at this early very mengrely rationed; and it is the fatal accidents," said Sir W. date the success of the gigantic en- a large or fortunate family that can Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secrederprise is assured. All signs in lenjoy more than one room, tary, in a recent speech. "Last dicate that it will be the greatest Leningrad, on the other hand, has year there were 319 fatal accidents. trade show of any sort ever held in lost the hordes of public officials, owing to machinery and 637 from America. Not only will there be who moved to Moscow with the other causes. "In non-fatal acan overflow of exhibits by the transference of the capital. The cidents the discrepancy was still leading manufacturers of all countresult is that many apartments in greater; there were 37,000 non-tries but, strange to say, a record Leningrad are vacant and there is fatal accidents in connection with breaking attendance is already a no pressure on the existing housing machinery, and nearly 132,000 not certainty in spite of the fact that accommodations. Dogs require connected with machinery. That the opening date is still five months more space and freedom of move- was a very remarkable fact. Out Tremendons interest is ment than cats, so it is easy to un- of every 100 accidents that took being manifested by radio manu- derstand why they find more scope place in the factories and workfacturers, dealers, inventors and in Leningrad than in Moecow, shops of the country only thirty-two enthusiasts both here and abroad With a view to relieving to some were in connection with machinery. and 'the patronge is sure "to degree the congestion of Moscow. No fewer than 131 per cent, were exceed that of the First Radio it has been proposed to transfer due to people falling from hoists. Madison Square Garden and the sariats to Leningrad, but this majority of those fulls were due

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AND PERSONAL.

Mr. W. G. Williams (Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son) and Mr. J. J. Union is taking 1,000 children to public mind recently, a Home Martin (Messrs. Lowe, Bingham the cinema to celebrate its 21st writer says:—Great excitement in Amundsen's dash for the Pole, & Matthews) and Mrs. Martin, are birthday. passengers on the outgoing Fushimi Maru.

Reuter reports that Mrs. Leonard Wood, wife of Governor-General Wood, is seriously ill daughter has been postponed.

It is stated in a London paper. that the late Mr. H. A. Cartwright, editor and manager of the 'Hongkong Daily Press," left estate valued at £2,919 in Great Britain (net personalty £2,819).

used to travel about with a lioness. Rumour has it that a railway offi- eat." cial, entering Miss Gerrard's compartment " and seeing her travelling companions disporting of the Royal Family who speaks themselves on the seat, gazed unbelievingly at them for several seconds and then rushed down the platform screaming for a doctor !

Bethnal Green Costermongers'

Eisteddfod, 1926.

service.

Dr. Thomas B. Dunn of Shanghai recently gave an address on health to local residents. He laid In an era of strange pets Miss of which was that the man who Teddie Gerrard has shown her is upset by worry, fear or anger is originality by bringing back to much more likely to be attacked England with her a pair of baby by disease." The Chinese hold alligators. This is going one bet- that these mental disturbances are ter than Sarah Bernhardt, who themselves diseases. Another rule was "Hold down the amount you

> The Queen is the only member Italian fluently, an accomplishment she owes to her residence in Florence with her parents when she was a girl. At Naples she delighted the officials deputed to show the Royal party "the sights" talking to them in their own language. Cardinal Baffi, who acted as cicerone at Pisa, complimented the Queen on her accent.

One of the recent personal sucin Parliament was the speech of Capt. Ian Frasen, the blind M.P. for St. Pancras, on previous speakers in detail and with effect.

who was the first baronet, created invo left for Singapore. Mr. T. return from a journey of 1,100 miles of the paper of the good they had done in 1921, was born in 1869, being Biota, Manila manager for Mitsui by caravan through country probable of the Bussan Kaisha, was to accompany, ably never previously traversed by pain and stiffness. So I was an taking them on this stage of their journey; a white woman with the relief from the pain label. The paper of the relief from the pain label. The paper of the relief from the pain label. The paper of the relief from the pain label. The paper of the relief from the pain label. having extensive interests in both the Near East France divorce practised in the county the daily and weekly press. A England Germany, New York, were described by Mrs. Forties little more than a year ago he dispensed to Mitsui officer along Stories are their line of march; tak a year conferency marriage. Is for the Mitsui officer along conferency marriages is for the Mitsui officer and was a wanted attended the Daily Sketch in all Mr. Mitsui was a wanted attended to the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for a property of the Mitsui of the Mitsui was a wanted attended to the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for a property of the Mitsui was a wanted attended to the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for a property of the Mitsui was a wanted attended to the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for a property of the Mitsui was a wanted attended to the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for a property of the Mitsui was a wanted attended to the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Daily Sketch by the President of the Our range for the Our range

Of a certain book much in the

down some interesting rules, one the House of Commons to find the birds to roost on the second an M.P.'s rapidity of utterance. approaching "the diving board." during the maiden speech of Col. simple-a plain tale. And the Hon, Angus McDonnell. Some would be, without one enemy of "the cherubs who sit up aloft" The crucial danger is fog. Every frankly abandoned the task as sort of statistics of weather has hopeless, and the official shorthand been studied; but Arctic fog is writers had a gruelling time. They outside the prognostic skill of any estimated the speaker's rate as in authority. It comes and goes the neighbourhood of 300 words a rapidly, on slight provocation. minute. Col. McDonnell is the may be general; it may be local. is a popular Member, and has fact, compensates for invisibility; Socialists.

taining distinguished viaitors. Prob- trip. ably the most world-widely known name on the register was that of the question of ex-Service Civil Mr. T. Mitsui, partner in Mitsui Servants. It was in its way a tour Bussan Kaisha, and director of Being, of course, unable their mining interests in Tokyo; to have the aid of notes, he has who, with Mrs. Mitsui, is starting nécessarily to prepare a speech very on a world tour. With them are carefully, yet on the occasion in two secretaries, Mr. I. Sawada question he spoke practically ex- and Mr. G. Kowaki. Mr. and tempore, answering arguments of Mrs. J. Abe accompanied them from Hongkong, where Mr. Abe Reuter cables the death of Sir the Empress of Canada and stopped woman explorer, sums up her im aothic really belied me until I tried the Empress of Canada and stopped woman of Abyssinia, on her Dr. Williams Pink Pill after reading in the average of the first have not been at the Manila Hotel. The Mitsuiz pressions of Abyssinia, on her by the first have not been at the Manila Hotel.

DASH FOR POLE. HAZARDS OF AMUNDSEN

EXPEDITION.

the house of Maugham! I refer to which is to be attempted this spring, "The result is," said Mrs. Forbes, Somerset of that ilk. The sudden is likely to be a much more than the very often the husband con-James (Megan withdrawal of his latest novel was gerous enterprise than is generally tinues to beat his wife, and the Glantawe) has been appointed too much for me, and I bore down thought. A party of six are to fly wife continues to build up a small official harpist to Swansea National upon him with a catalogue of from near Spitzbergen in two fortune." questions. It appears that a thou- aeroplanes fitted with bouts that sand and one letters have reached, are also slides; with the idea that ment, which is oftentimes blessed An "equality" wedding at him from various sources at Hong- it gives a double opportunity of by the priests. "This can only be Mansfield, Notts, in which the kong begging him to alter the landing. There may be a level described as legalised concubinage, Manila to Shanghai with her bride's "obey" was omitted and locale of the book.' I suggested enough area of snow to land on; said Mrs. Forbes. she was not given away, attracted that he should spell all the names there may be a temporarily open much interest. The couple were backwards and call the place lead. Either plane will carry six similar manner to that in which Mr. Sidney Barrett and Miss Konghong. But the notion didn't persons, so that if one breaks down his victim met his doom, and the Eunice Emily Beardall, and they strike him as particularly brilliant the other can bring the whole party execution is carried out by the promised each other mutual -so the whole book is going to be back in safety. It is calculated nearest relative of the victim. that the whole trip after the plane starts may not take more than two to three days. The small company It is a very rare thing for the who will camp on the snow to see niembers of the Press Gallery of the start will expect the return of themselves in difficulties because of day. The advanced guard is now Yet this happened the other day All this sounds delightfully

second son of the Earl of Antrim, The skilful use of the compass, in knocked about the world accumu- but fog over snow, as over water, lating valuable experience. He deprives the nirman of any judggained. Durtford for the Unionists ment of his distance from the standard by the use of a non-alcholic at the last election by defeating ground. Safe landing is almost tonic like Lir. Williams Pink Pills, and Jack Mills, one of the best known out of the question. The dash will much most. Proper nutrition and good be a gamble with the weather. If blood are the best means of fighting fog is avoided, the explorer has rh-umstiam; a well nourished system absolute confidence in the compara- | will often throw it off. The Manila Hotel has been enter- tive case as well as success of the

HOW SOME WIVES GAIN FORTUNES.

"Mountains of loose stones pinis manager for the Mitsui in ned together by thorns'—this is hardly pall myself upstairs.

vent everything in divided count ly between the man and woman. leven, to cutting a carpet in two. In a civil marriage a husband has to provide guarantors. If a husband beats his wife she isentitled to monetary compensation. "The result is," said Mrs. Forbes,

Then there is marriage by agree-

A murderer has to be killed in a

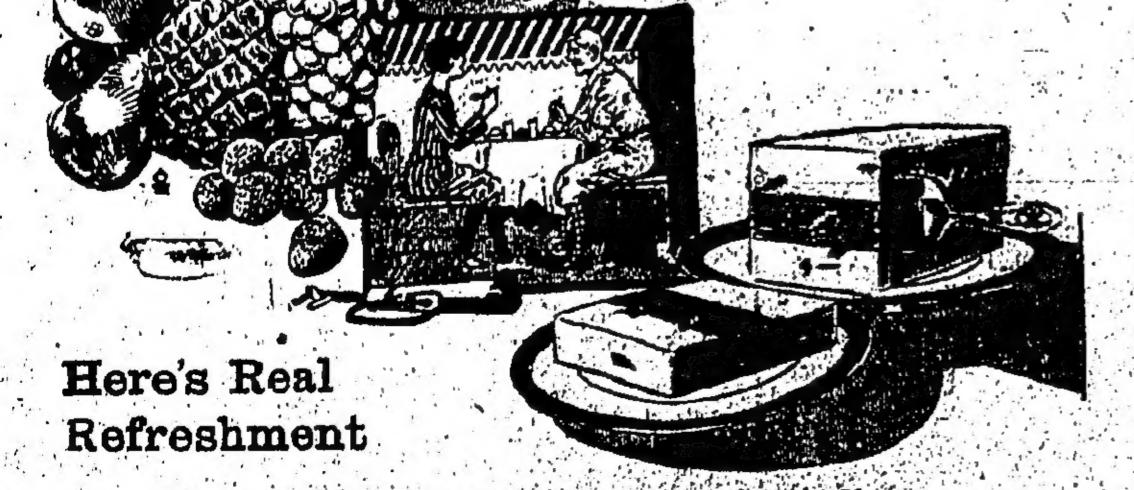
One of the main objects of the trip was to procure films of the troglodyte city of Lalibehla, where there are eleven wonderful churches. hidden away underground. Mrs. Forbes visited each one with the exception of that dedicated to the Virgin Mary. "Nothing female is allowed to enter that court," said "I wonder," she Mrs. Forbes. added with a smile, "what would happen if a female sparrow built its nest there."

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GAY LOSSIE LOON.

MR. MACDONALD IN MERRY MOOD.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, M.P., was the gay "Lossie-Loon" when he made sport among his brother and sister Scots in London. He was the guest, of the London Scots Labour Club, and, responding to the toast of his health, proposed by the chairman, Mr. George Dallas, he said ;-

There are many ups and downs of a queer kind in life. For, intance, if you had been in Lossie" mouth about fifty years ago and hid asked what was the general opinion of a certain nickum with a. black head-and very often not much else-you would have found that he was regarded as buing destined to be hung I am not alsure but that something like that has happened, because there are certain experiences in life that are of nearly the same kind of trouble.

The great characteristic of our countrymer is that they wander over the world's good and only secondarily for their own, It is see I don't require to complete my Opera as a baritone.

ordered some furniture, and gave the lips of no man since the inestimable; value for countless as an address Lossiemouth, im famous Mario. "His successes as young aspirants to vocal fame. The man behind the counter! pulled himself up in a very lordly and dignified way, and said: Madam, I beg of you, do not insult me by offering further explanations of that place.' I believe there is considerable doubt London as to where Edinburgh is. There is no doubt at all as to where

Lossiemouth is: WANDERER'S ADVENTURES.

"Wandering about on the face. of the earth, I remember one day getting into a certain place in Australia way down at the month of the Brisbane River, where I was being met by a boat that was to take me to Brisbane itself. Getting aboard, I was received by a in the wonderful change that came incolooking, dignified, self over the great tenor's circer when respecting man, dressed in blue, he began the study of the mor with brass buttons-one of the sort advanced Wagnerin roles I have of gentlemen who would have I told in the story of my 'Thirty writers of the "Daily Herald" Jean and Edouard de Reszke at (Laughter) I thought there was a Ems with Lassalle, the celebrated kind of searching, specially friend- French baritone, and advised them ly look in his eye, and as he kept to go straight off to Bayreutl looking at me in a brotherly kind (which I had just left) for the purof way I asked: "Have I seen you pose of hearing. Die Meisterbefore?" "God, man! Seen me singer.' They went a week later, afore! Monny apipe have I smoked accompanied by Mdme Nordica. for your granny.'

hack-wood, of Canada had been impressed they had all been. The tilking to me about an hour, and result was that in the following at the end it suddenly strack him year, 1889, we had . Wagner's he had forgotten to tell me splendid opera at Covent Garden, something that was very essential in Imlian, it is true, with the finest "Mester MacDonald, he said, 'I Walther that had ever been heard, am awfully sorry, but I forgot to and certainly the most distintell you I was a Scotsman.' In guished that had ever been seen. Jamaica the other day, when I met a lot of Scotsmen, as usual I found that nearly everybody on the island, provided he came from Africa originally, has now adopted a Scotch name. The clans are even better represented there than in Loadin-Cimeron by the. number, but all living godly, James Matirath, Ltd., brought many years, Scottish lives, following the very out to India, will arrive in Reguald Selleck and Madge best and the very worst of our variegated traditions."

SCOTTISH JOKES

The Scotsman, Mr. M. Davald thought, was his own worst enemy. All the jokes at the expense of Scotsmen were invented by Stats men, and the proulier thing was that no one understood then or saw the humour in them except the Scotsman. I once en played a Parlimentary Secretary, he sa'd not for the purpose of giving me good advice in politics-heeruse ! get enough of that and to spare without any appointments—but for the purpose of supplying me with two original jokes against Scotemen every day of the week: He did it, and that is the reason why the Labour Government was so successful." (Laughter.)

"It has struck me that so long as Scotsman, Mr. Baldwin is half a

this country." (Laughter.)

JEAN DE RESZKE

THE GREAT DAYS AT COVENT GARDEN.

Some recollections, and appreciation of Jean de Reszke, the great aftist whose death was announced were given, in an interview with a representative The Observer, by Mr. Herman Klein, president of the Critics Circle, and the well-known teacher singing, whose intimate acquaintance with him extended over that brilliant part of his career which began with the first season of Italian Opera given by Sin Sugustus Harris at Drury Lane

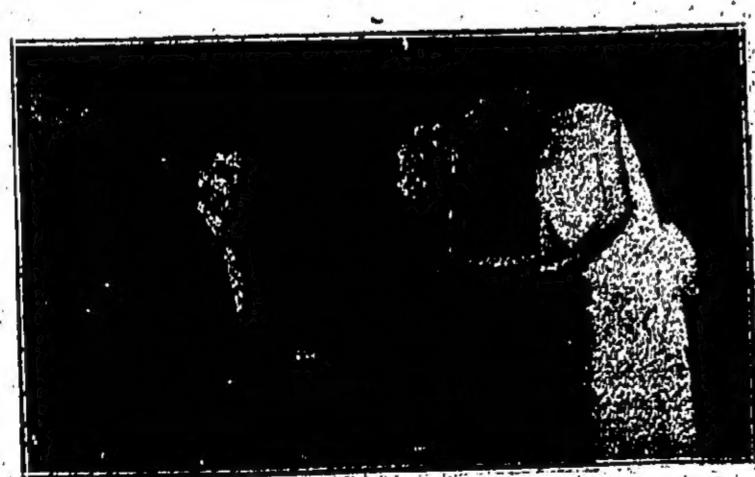
It was indeed my good luck he"said. "to have the privilege of persuading the imprestrio, when decided to start operati management, to do so while the co-operation of this gifted tenor and his equally famous brother LAST APPEARANCE AT COVENT Edouard, who were then both earning great popularity at the Paris Opera I accompanied Sr have been felt by himself, but it Augustus when he went to Paris was never allowed to become to engage them, and was present palpable to his hearers in this when the contract was signed country. When he sang in however, that Lossie men are Garden, while Jean had appeared sang with all his old tenderness was no cross-examination because even better than-(laughter)-1 ten years before at Her Majesty's and charm and irresistible beauty that particular point had not been

gleg in the uptak.". In this case I brilliant that I can recall, with the Thereafter he sang in Paris, but Loseby, "that the conduct of both think the mathematical maxim exception of the one when Verdi's only for a short time. The end the lace and embroidery industries. that the greater includes the less is opera was first produced at Covent of his career as a singer had come challenges comparison with that Garden with Adelina Patti in the gloriously, and he felt no wish to of any industry in the country." "Regarding Lossiemouth and title role; only this time the unduly prolong it. Scotland, the less includes the triumph was for Radames Such "His work as a teacher, which raised seriously he would have greater. A friend of mine went to beautiful singing as the new Polish he had recently carried on at Nice, cross-examined, and he now a big London store the other day, tenor gave us had been heard from was for twenty years a privilege of proposed to do so. mediately proceeding to inform Lohengrin and Raoul were no less. He was a complete master of every the man behind the counter that unforgettable. In a word, the branch of his art, but towards the Lossiemouth was in Scotland impression that lean de Reszke end he devoted himself almost excreated led directly to the clusively to the task of preparing renaissance of open which then began under the regime of Harris after a decade of disappointing failure, during which it seemed that the 'Royal Italian Opera' was doomed to inevitable extinction Whatever was achieved during the next eight years was due in no small measure to the enormous influence wielded by the presence at Covent Garden of Jean de Reszke, together with his brother and Dame. Melba and the rest of that brilliant coterie of great

"I am proud to have had a hand backs of the Years of Musical, Life, how I met the American prima donna, who Another fellow I met in the wrote telling me how deenly

"CUR CABARET."

first class Loudon "Cabarets", are presented by Jann Carytt and Rene Delyse, Frank Milne, the extraordinary versatile comedian. lass an enormous repertoire of The new London evize in enter- comedy scenes and gags. . H thousand, Grant by the tens of taken at, "Our Cabaret," which secred in Calcutta and Bounhay thousand; MacDonald a fair is the first of the Companies that the greatest personal success of



Reginald Selleck and Madge Carter at the Piano in "Our Cabaret.

Providence is looking after this Hongkong by the P. & O. s.s. Carter present double turn at the session. It was the property of an Cargo arrived per sis, Retton country He selects Scotsmen as Malwa on Thursday and will piano which for neatness and ex-count, who has a castle in Hill jein long nadelive ed after Vay, His agents. Those of you inclined open the same night at the originality has not been seen here Styria, where it was kept. The 8, will to shoot to reat. Agents, to be pessimistic, fearing that the Theatre Royal for a short season before. country will never recover again, in a series of programmes introhave the best reason for believing ducing the latest musical numbers, that, because there are no Scots- burlesques, skits, original scenes, sketches, the latter lady doing After he had left a copy of the men in the present Government, and the absolute latest ideas, in sterling work in various character picture was found in the place of It is the most ominous sign of the Cabaret donoing. The entertain- studies. times. This country cannot be ment is entirely new to the East, governed successfully unless there and every artiste will appear beare Scotsmen in the Ministry. I am fore the Hongkong public for the Creasey the barrione. the far has given us up, because He has it huge success everywhere they touch in Our Cabaret. The inade the Prime Minister half a played and it will be interesting to greatest laughter in caused by Baldwin and hall a MacDonald goers will endorse the wonderful with surprising endings. man is good enough to maintain bay

Miss Gortrude Clegg Musical Director and Reed

But I doubt whether half a Scois opinion held in Calcutta and Bom Cabaret is a movel entertain ment completely new to the Hast the great burdens of governing Some delightful dancing of near Plans are open at Moura y every kind usually seen in the Moutere & Co.

LUXURY FASHIONS. COULD WOMAN BE HAPPY IN A BATH SHEET?

"Later on Jean de Reszke

was to study this and all his

other Wagnerian parts in Ger-

man. Tristan and Siegfried he

sang in America before doing so

here, and his triumph in both parts

was, equally pronounced on both

tenors of his day.

GARDEN.

"The decline of his powers may

his pupils for the stage. For the

"I had not seen him since the

war, but we always kept up an

intermittent correspondence, and l

have scores of letters from him

tion and gratitude-for I think he

HEAD BLOWN OFF.

from the direction of St. Ro nan

ployee, who was out fishing,

discovered the headless body of a

man. The shattered remains of

In the man's pocket was a copy

of an English mewspaper relating

a case of suicide by a man who

discharged a dynamite cartridge

in his mouth. It is presumed that

he took his life in a similar

The man is stated by the police

to be Mr. William Smith, of

is said to have been in business in

Boston, Isincolnshire, aged 37.

an hotel at Monte Carlo.

longer had time to spare.

miss him sorely."

"Our whole trade is entirely sides of the Atlantic. Ho was a useless. It is solely luxury... I'an truly great all-round artist, and his ashamed of being in it. It, versatility was amazing. He was, opposed to my social ideas. in my opinion, the last of the great | woman could be quite happy in heroic tenors of the Meyerbeer bath-sheet.

School, which in his case, as in Mr. John Jacoby, governing that of Niemannn and Winkel director of Messrs. Jacoby-Ikle, mann, proved, curiously enough, Ltd., lace manufacturers, the right school for the training Wood-street, E.C., made these of great Wagnerian heroes. He observations at the Board of Trade brought to bear upon all his later Committee which is inquiring into impersonations the benefit, not the application of the Nottingham only of a long stage experience, lace trade for an ad valorem duty but the impress of a refined in- on imported machine-made lace tellect and a cultured mind. Hence | and embroidery.

their singular variety and a degree of psychological interest, notably and said he did not agree with the necessity for some of the fashion. in parts like Tristan and Siegfried. such as one rarely found in operatic | thie articles of the trade. Mr. Jacoby told Dame Helen Gwynne, Vaughan, one of the committee that Colonial women like to follow the fashion of Englishwomen, but Englishwomen would not always adopt the fashions in dress of

PA PROTEST.

of voice, and at the end of it he regarded as a real and serious sentence. A "Scotsman is 'gey "That Aida night was the most said, not farewell, but an revoir. Issue. "Our case is," said Mr. Had he thought the issue was

"PRIMITIVE EFFORTS."

If Nottingham manufacturers: visited the factories abroad, Mr. Jacoby said, they would see what artistic work was being turned out in comparison with the primitive efforts of Nottingham.

technical side of singing he no Mr. Loseby: Is it not a fact that wherever labour bears a big proportion of the cost of the whole article English producers cannot compete?-That is not so to my

always breathing the same affec-If a duty had to be imposed the only logical one, Mr. Jacoby never forgot. I loved him both as thought, was one on weight. an artist and a man, and I shall

PRINCESS MARY COLLAR.

Mr. J. C. Cocking, buyer for Messrs. Copestake, Crampton, and Company, Ltd., of London and Nottingham, said he could not give the proportion of German Inhabitants of the Riviera resort goods purchased by his firm as he of Roquebrune, near Cap Martin, had bought a proportion of them were awakened by a loud report through Nottingham.

Mr. Loseby: Dld vou buy much German lace via Nottingham?-Three hours later a Monte Carlo One very hig parcel."

Mr. J. N. Finlay, buyer for Messra. Olney, Amsden and Company, Ltd . warehousemun, of the head were found later in the Falcon-street, E.C., sald a sugges- Hollins, and Anderson, the Rev. 3 tion he made to a Nottingham manufacturer for the production of a "Princess Mary" collar was not carried out. In three years the turnover of the article, as imported from Germany and Switzerland, had reached between £20,000 and £30,000. Had the collarings been produced by the manufacturer at an initial outlay of £50, £10,000 worth of business would have been saved for the Nottingham lace. London' and had been staying at trade.

PICTURE ROMANCES.

CURIOUS STORY OF CRUCIFIXION."

The Persian Consul-General, Henrik Pollak, is in possession of Martyrdom of a Saintly Wo. and Hankow and is due at this port on in man," declared by connoisseurs to or about May 30. be one of the painter's finest works. alleging that the Consul had due at this port or about June 6. as its property. The Foreign The B F as "Merion s" left Liver." Office ordered the police to polion May if for Streits, Hongkong, required the picture in a legal way. Herr Pollak is now worried daily The LO Link. " Fres. Jackron" by agents and would-be buyers, silled from feittle on Miy 15, on and an American millionaire has sobolu's. sent his private secretary to Vienna, to offer 260,000 dollars. The owner, however, has resisted all temp: tations. Another exciting affair concerns

a Rembrandt, "The Crucifizion of Cargo arrived per s.s. "Benuncalini" Christ, one of the four Rembrandt will be subject to rook Agents. - Gibb. pictures in Austrian private pos- Livings on Gr. Ltd. son of an art dealer became en-Churles Changer and Muriel gaged to the ex-count's daughter Varna present some clever comedy and spent a few days at the castle. the two kave come to an under I'M, M. Speight, Mr. J. Tayag, Mes. standing to settle themseler perce. M. L. Wooldridge, and Mrs. Halen fully by payment of £4,500.

PASSENGERS. DEPARTURES.

The following passengers left

on the s.s. President Taft on

Saturday :- For Shanghai - Dr.

and Mrs. S. C. Au, Mr. An King, Mr. C. Breyer, Mrs. C. A. Cook, Miss A. C. Cook, Mr. Jack Carter, Miss Chow Wel-yin, Messrs. H. A. R. Conant, E. M. Cheng, F. Guthrie, J. R. Hobhouse, C. W. Hartley, P. L. Han, B. W. Jackson, G. H. Keatley, H. P. Lewis, Lum Ching-haun, and C. I. Leonberger, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Moorman and child, Messrs. Morinage and C. W. Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McCarl and son, Messrs. H. A. Pullian, A. He was speaking of fashions, Rosemond, W. Rosenthal, J. Shirszee, A. A. Eca da Silva, and W. H. Torpey, Mrs. W. H. Torpey, Mr. Tien Yuen-poh; for Kobe .-Lieut. J. L. Shipley and Mrs. Shipley: for Honolulu - Mr. Alfred Waller; for San Francisco L. O. Chan, Chan Chin Yuen-chin, Furnerburks, Mrs. Their appearance in 'Aida' on the Ronco' with Melba at Covent At the opening of the inquiry Humphries, Mr. Jue Yu, Miss opening night of the short summer Garden on a hot July night in 1900 Mr. C. E. Losely (counsel for Leonore Kinney, Messrs, J. Nock season in 1887 was not a debut no one knew that it was for the applicants) replied to state- Kays, Kwan Min, and Kung Kiu, will generally find a Scotsman at here for either, Edouard having last time, nor would one have ments criticising the conduct Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Llamas, the head of affairs. I have found, sung for several seasons at Covent found it easy to believe, for he of the lace industry. There Messrs. C. Lagisquet, Lee Bing-Mr. and Mrs. J. Mongey, and three sons, Mr. J. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ko Clolland and son, Messrs: Quan Oi, Quan Bun, Quan Cherk, and Quan Yin, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rodgers and three sons, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. da Roza, i Miss Emma Stark, Miss Reba C. Stewart, Mr. Sum Yan, Mrs. J. H. Williams, Messrs. Wong Hing, Wong Kee-lung, Wong Fun, and Yee Sok-wah.

Passengers who departed by the s.s. Fushimi Maru on Friday were :- Mr. V. Elliott, Miss B. Elliott, Messrs. T. Eberth, F. F. Ringer, P. H. McKay, Jackson, T. R. Rennett, and E. V. Pallard, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Christensen and children, Mrs. L. M. Thomas and son, Miss K. M. Hill, Miss F. McCloy, Mr. and Mrs. A. W Davidson, Messrs. L. B. Woolley and R. F. Sedgwick, Mrs. W. B. O. Middleston and son, Mr. Holden, Mrs. H. Jorgensen and two children, Messrs. Y. Petit and H. Jorgensen, Mr. and Mrs. Schroder, Mrs. R. F. Sedgwick and two infants. Messrs. W. G. Williams, Kortel Kaas, and De Gans, Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Farle Miss A. M. Farle, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Benstead and child, Mr. W R N Oliver Messrs Van de Wateren, M. G. Sunderland, and N. A. Rotchiff, Mr. and Mrs. C. S.

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The B F. s.s. "Machern ! for London. Rotterdam and Hamburg will be despatched at 4 p.m. to-day.

The D.S.L s. "Tres. Hay s" which due at this port to, day sailed from San Francisco on Apr. 25-on tetedule. The B. L. s.s. " Bengloe," from Leith, Middlesbro, Antwerp and Lonion left Cadia for this port on May 11 and in due

The '.P. s. R M.S. Empress of Russia" arrived at Manila on May :3 at 7.30 a.m. lef: Manila yesterday at 4 p.m. and is due at Hongkong to-morrow at:9 a.m. The B L s.s. "Benalder " from Leith Middle-bro.' Antwerp and London due: 5 to arrive here on May 18. --The B. F. a.s. 'Teiresias" left Livermasterpiece by Tintoretto, pool on Apr. 25 for Hong kong, thanghai |

Tho. B. F m.s. "Memnon" left Liver-The Italian Government applied to por on Apr. 14 for Straits Hongkone, the Austrian Foreign Office, Shan hai, Kobe and Yokohama and is acquired the picture by illegal The B F. a. . " Froilus" left Liverneans from his relative, Cardinal pool on May " for Hongkorg, Mhanghai, Locatel I, and demanded it back short in 6 1.

examine the matter, but the Con - hench i. Moji, Robe, and Yokohama sul wis able to prove that he had and indusat this port on or about June

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The photo shows Miss Lorraine Easen displaying the latest thing ingarters, the Garterola Super-Kneelyne, and it plays. Among its many advantages, Miss Eason says, is that if she wants to do a fox trotwhile the orchestra is playing a waltz, she may do so by tuning in one of the numerous stations.



Refusing to tell where she came from, a girl who registered at a hotel as Gloria Rosebud O'Rayder swallowed polson soon after her arrival. Nearing recovery, she has maintained her secretiveness, promising to "tell all" only after she is discharged from the hospital.



ETHELY & EVELYN WICHMAN WA

These twin sisters, now twenty-nix years old were identical in appearance when they were three months old. Ethel Wickman, at left, is four feet four inches tall and weighs 68 pounds. Evelyn, who is the wife of a policeman, is five feet seven inches tall and "weighs" 140 pounds. Physicians cannot account for the difference in develop-



Pritz Ebert, son of the late President Friederich Ebert, of Ger-many, suffered cuts and bruises when he was attacked in a political

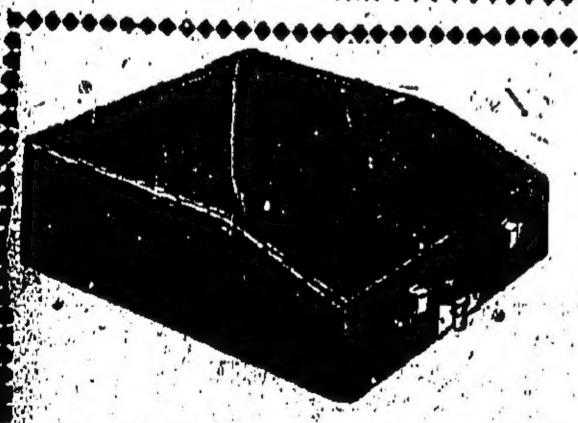




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Delow: Frank O Lowden's Chauncey M. Defew. place a heavy export duty on Britain's liquor supply. Princess Hamine, wife of the German ex-Kaiser, has been named as a participant in a monarchist plot, in a British book. Frank O. Lowden, former Governor of Illinois, told the American publishers at a dinner in New York, that agriculture should be as well-organized as industry. Chauncey M. Depew, former Senator, financier, railroad man and

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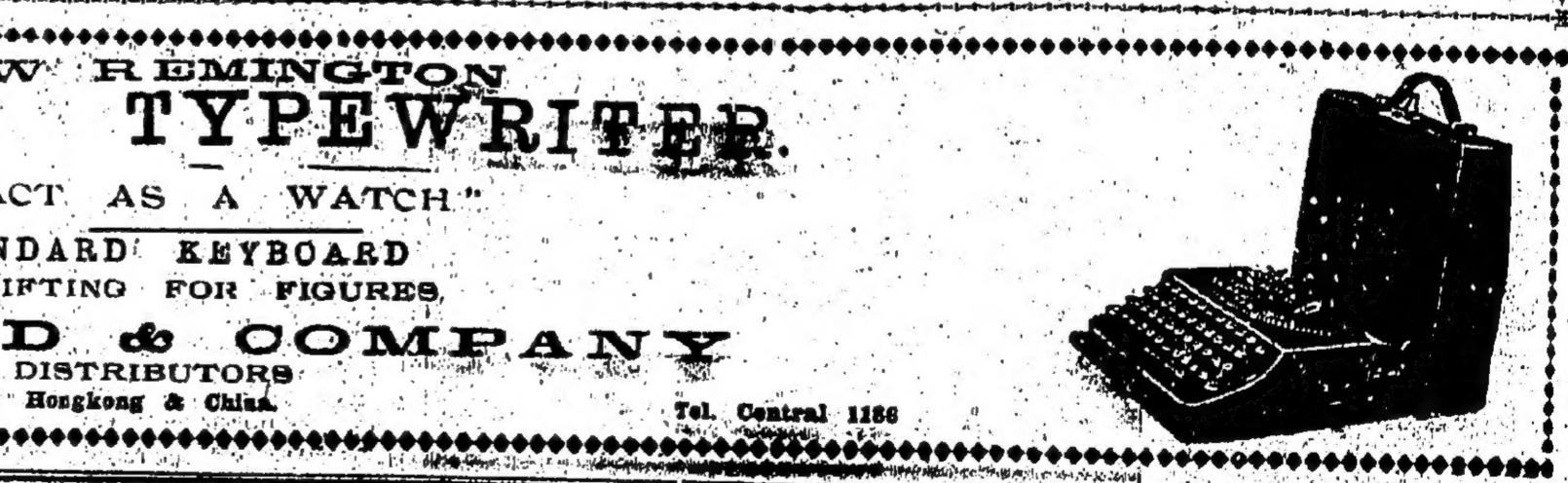
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ports show that the quality of the water is cathiactury. Trial Rainfall to worth April, 11.90 in. 20.95 in.

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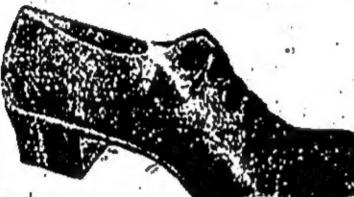
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NURMI'S RECORDS.

FAMOUS RUNNER EXCELS.

New York, April 20.-Paavo Nurmi, Finland's star runner, who More than 100 all-English golfers came to this country last December for the indoor season now drawing to a close, has either broken or

ranging from three-fourths of a mile to 5,000 meters, winning all but three of the events. He has broken the 2,000-yard record three times, and has twice bettered indoor marks for the mile, 17 miles, 11 miles, 11 miles, 14 miles, two miles, 24 miles, 2,000 motors 3,000 meters, 4,000 meters and 4,000

The Finlander's best records at present are as follows:-

Three-quarter mile: 3m. 3 4-5s. 1,500 meters, 3m. 56s.; mile, 4m. 12s, ; 11 miles 4m, 55 2-5s.; 2,000 yards, 4m. 59 3-5s; 13 miles; 5m. 23s. 1; 2,000 meters, 5m. 33s.; 1] miles, 6m. 30 2-5s.; 14 miles, 7m. Farrar of the Royal Chib. Liver-51 2-58.; 3,000 meters, 8m., 26 2-5s.; 17 miles, 8m. 20s.; two miles 8m. 58 1-5a. ; 24 miles, 10m. 198.; 4.000 yards, 10m. 31s.; 4.000 meters, 11m. 30 4-5s.; 24 miles, 1.1m. 36 1-5s.; 27 miles, 13m. 3s.; 5,000 meters, 14m, 443-5s.

distances will find their way into champion in 1890. After getting the record books. This means that is bye in the first round, the the new time, for the mile, two veteran defeated . Ik . Walker of miles and 3,000 meters will be re- Ormskirk, 6 up and 5 to play. corded, the remainder being listed as noteworthy performances.

William Ritola was second to Nurmi as a record breaker with 21 world marks Ugo Frigerio, the Italian walken, made 16, records, while William Plant, the American champion, accounted for seven. W. Ray of Chicago accomplished the feat of equalling Normi's great mile of Im. 12s., and Lloyd Hahn of Boston had three distance records to his credit in the colourful indoor senson.

BASEBALL BALLADE.

[BY KIRKE MECHEM.]

Once more the seasonable year Makes green the diamond with

its dews And like a wandering voice v

The gathering fans-loud sing cuckoos I Sport columns bloom with spicy Taboo are mat and court and

Sing we the pennant, faithful We all are champions in the

TOLLEY TOPS. SPLENDID GOLF

Hoylake, England, April 22 .-of all ranks and classes contested the first round of the newly inestablished 31 world's board-track stituted amateur golf championship of England at Hoylake in fine Nurmi has competed in 88 races, weather yesterday. The most notable absentee was Sir E. W. E. Holderness, the amateur champion of 1924, who; though chairman of the committee which framed the rules, found himself unable to compete because of the fact that he and both his parents were born outside of England. Wothered, who was champion in .1923, did not com-

peter, though eligible. Bromborough, 2 and 1.

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"No," retorted the man of law. You doctors certainly have the best of us there."

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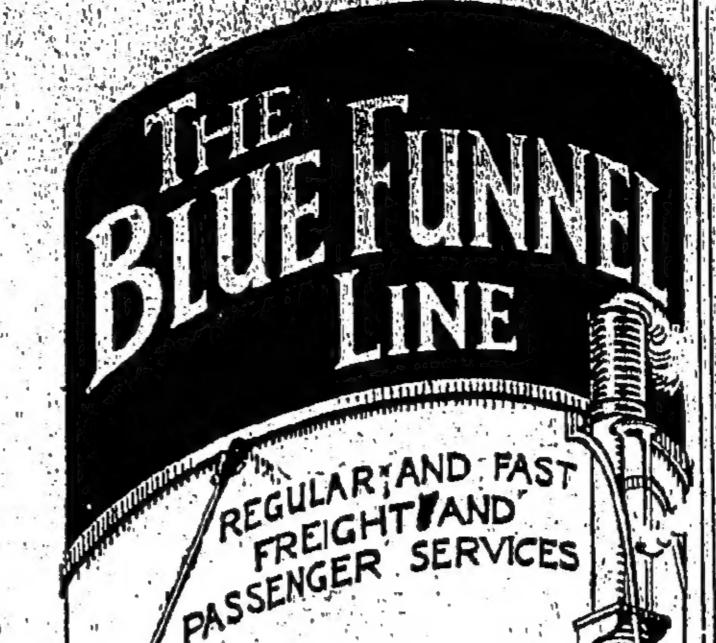
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